The Weather
Scattered showers followed by colder early today.

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100,000 NAZIS DIE ON STALINGRAD FRONT

Knox under Fire Twice on Visits To Pacific Isles

Nimitz and Halsey Also Escape Injury in Jap Attacks

Secretary of the Navy Reports Enemy Bombers Are Inaccurate

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 31 (AP)—Secretary Frank Knox and Rear Adm. J. S. McCain, chief of the Bureau of Aeronautics, stopped briefly in San Diego today enroute to Washington after a visit in the South Pacific war zone.

By WALTER B. CLAUSEN

PEARL HARBOR, Jan. 29 (Delayed (AP) — Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, commander-in-chief of the Pacific ocean area, and Admiral William F. Halsey, commander of the South Pacific force, were under Japanese air attack twice within the past two weeks.

The first attack was a short one at Espiritu Santo, in the New Hebrides, and the second one, much heavier, of seven hours duration, was on Guadalcanal. No casualties were reported in either attack.

Says Japs are Inaccurate

Secretary Knox described them as like bombing attacks in 1918 and that the Japanese high level bombardment was "very inaccurate."

About the attack on Espiritu Santo, where Admiral Halsey met him, the secretary said:

"It was the first attack there. How the Japs got their information we don't know, but they didn't do us any harm, except to keep us awake."

May Soon Attack Tokyo

"I think there are darn good prospects of an air attack on Tokyo," he said in answer to a question, but when or how it will act, I will not say, but they better get ready.

"Our submarines are doing a magnificent job and operations against the Japanese line of communications are going at a good rate. I think destruction of shipping is a matter of great concern to the Japanese. Knowing their shipping resources and their capabilities of building, we can readily understand their concern.

"In the Atlantic the submarine war situation is still a tough problem to us and lots of losses are ahead there for us.

"In the Pacific I cannot speak too well of the high command. The nearer to the front the less the distinction of the various services. You can't tell the army, navy and marines apart. All are animated by the same determination to come to grips with the enemy and end the

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VISITED BY FDR

After his meeting in Casablanca with Churchill, President Franklin D. Roosevelt flew to Liberia to pay a visit to President Edwin Barclay (above), chief executive of the African republic. While there F.D.R. reviewed a large detachment of American negro troops.

Hamburg Bombed In One of Big Attacks of War

Seaport and Other Targets Damaged by RAF Fliers

By EDWARD D. BALL

LONDON, Jan. 31 (AP) — In the wake of yesterday's two dramatic daylight raids on Berlin that disrupted the Nazis' annual birthday celebration, Britain's heaviest bombers poured a cargo of explosives on the battered port of Hamburg last night and on other targets in Western Germany.

Roaring fires spread through Hamburg, the air ministry said, in the RAF's ninety-fourth assault on the city's sprawling shipyards, submarine sheds and aircraft factories.

The cascade of explosives included four-ton and two-ton block busters and "tens of thousands" of incendiaries, the air ministry news service said.

The heavy bombers fought their way through gales, electrical storms and icing clouds to reach the objective, but the skies cleared later and the crews could see the port clearly. The raid lasted half an hour, with the heaviest weight of bombs falling the first fifteen minutes.

Five Bombers Lost

Five bombers failed to return, indicating a force of possibly 100 craft had participated in the night's operations.

The impudent daylight stabs at Berlin by fast Mosquito bombers, the first of which delayed the delivery of a speech by Reichmarshal Herman Goering for over an hour, and last night's more destructive attacks on Germany's wartime industries climaxes a history-making month during which the Nazis shuddered under the impact of the Allies' broadening aerial offensive.

Thirty-eight times during the month, despite January's notoriously

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19 Found Dead In Wreckage of Transport Plane

Missing Airship Down in Mountains of California

VICTORVILLE, Calif., Jan. 31 (AP)—Army air force officials here announced tonight a transport plane of the glider-towing type and carrying 10 or 11 men, had been forced down to an undetermined fate in Bear Canyon, south of here. No details were immediately available.

UKIAH, Calif., Jan. 31 (AP)—The sheriff's office here informed the navy today that a navy transport plane, missing for ten days on a flight from Pearl Harbor to San Francisco, had been wrecked and burned in the mountains ten miles northeast of here.

All aboard the plane were dead. The big flying transport carried Rear Admiral Robert H. English, commander of the Pacific fleet submarine force, and several other high naval officers. In all, nineteen persons were aboard.

Plane Badly Wrecked

(Naval headquarters in San Francisco confirmed that the plane had been found shortly after the sheriff's office made its report. Navy authorities said the wreckage was hardly recognizable as that of the transport, which was a commercial plane taken over by the navy.)

The transport was lost on the morning of January 21 when it approached San Francisco during a storm and was unable to get below the clouds to land. It then headed northward, evidently with the idea of landing on Clear Lake, thirty miles east of here. The site of the

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Pay-as-You-Go Tax Plan To Be Made This Week

Congress Seen as Strongly in Favor of Drastic Change

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—The House Ways and Means committee finally will come to grips this week with the question of putting individual income taxes on a pay-as-you-go basis—an idea apparently predominantly favored in Congress but with legislators having different opinions as to how it should be done.

The threshing of the various proposals will begin Tuesday when Randolph Paul, aide to Secretary Morgenthau, will present the treasury's views. Committee experts also have been instructed to prepare possible plans.

The treasury is understood to favor a proposal by Rep. Robertson (D-Va) of the committee to forgive the regular six per cent tax and the first-bracket surtaxes on 1942 incomes and impose instead a twenty-per cent withholding tax on 1943 earnings.

The tax question caps a series of controversial issues coming up before congressional committees this week. Others include proposals to restrict the size of the armed forces and to repeal President Roosevelt's limit of $25,000 (after taxes) on salaries.

Will Probe Jeffers Charges

In addition, a House committee will begin an investigation tomorrow into Rubber Administrator William M. Jeffers's charge that army and navy expediters in war plants are impeding production. Jeffers called them "loafers," meaning that they were unnecessary.

Chairman Thomason (D-Tex) of the joint military and naval subcommittee undertaking the inquiry said the rubber administrator would be called as the initial witness and that subsequently officials of the war and navy departments would be heard.

Most of these issues developed to their present stage during Mr. Roosevelt's absence to confer with Prime Minister Churchill in Africa on 1943 war plans. Some legislators looked to him to intervene in the legislative matters as well as in the controversy over Edward J. Flynn's nomination to be minister to Australia.

Senators Mcellar (D-Tenn) and Van Nuys (D-Ind) suggested that Mr. Roosevelt should withdraw Flynn's nomination and thus avert a bitter Senate debate beginning tomorrow and possible rejection of the former Democratic national chairman for the diplomatic assignment.

Size of Armed Forces

Agitation for some limit on the size of the armed forces has come principally from farm state congressmen concerned over the farm labor problem. The senate military

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NAZIS DUCK WINDS BEHIND RUSSIAN SNOWDRIFTS

Hitler's soldiers find the going tough as they retreat before the savagely striking Russian troops. Not only do they have to contend with the hard-fighting Red army, but icy winds and snow also chop down their forces. This photo, obtained from London through neutral sources, shows a number of the retreating Nazis as they hide behind a snowdrift to escape the cutting winds sweeping across the Russian steppes.

Russia Reports Destruction of Big Enemy Army

Total of 330,000 Virtually Put Out of Action, Moscow Asserts

Field Marshal and Many High-Ranking Officers Captured

LONDON, Jan. 31 (AP)—Virtually complete destruction of Hitler's proud Stalingrad-siege forces of 330,000 men, with smashing of two crack Nazi armies, killing of 100,000 troops in the last twenty days alone, and capture of a field marshal and sixteen generals was announced by the Soviets late tonight in a triumphant special communique.

Russian troops, who first turned Stalingrad into a valiant fortress and then made it a death trap for the Nazi invaders and scene of the worst German defeat of the war, have wiped out one of the last two remaining German suicide garrisons of the Volga city, crushing the enemy pocket west of the central part of Stalingrad, it was stated in the communique, broadcast by Moscow and recorded here by the Soviet radio monitor.

Field Marshal Captured

Taken prisoner was Field Marshal Gen. Friedrich Paulus, commander of the crushed German Sixth army and Fourth tank army, and sixteen of his generals. Paulus, whose promotion from colonel general was announced only today by the Germans, is the first Nazi field marshal to be taken prisoner in this war.

Meanwhile the peril of 200,000 Nazi troops fighting around Krasnodar in the Caucasus with their backs to the Kerch Strait increased ominously, with the Soviet midnight communique reporting capture of Ryazanskaya, only thirty miles east of that German pivot base.

The midnight communique also announced the fall of Belorechenskaya, on the Armavir-Tuapse railroad seventeen miles northwest of Maikop, as the Russian columns drove on Krasnodar. Ryazanskaya is another eighteen miles northwest of Maikop. Thus this Soviet column smashing at Krasnodar apparently advanced thirty-five miles beyond Maikop in one day.

The Russians already stood within forty miles of Krasnodar at Ladojskaya, and were reported advancing beyond that point.

25,000 Nazis Trapped

The offensive continued on the Voronezh front, where 25,000 Germans are trapped, and the Russians captured twenty populated places, the midnight communique added. Advanced Russian units in that area are within forty-five miles of the great trunk railway joining

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Nazi Tank Force Smashes Tunisia Line of Defense

But Germans Pay Heavily for Short Advance against French

LONDON, Jan. 31 (AP)—A tank-led German task force seeking to protect Marshal Rommel's escape corridor along the Gulf of Gabes was officially reported to be engaged aground and under aerial attack today after breaking through French-held Allied defenses in the Faid pass area of Central Tunisia.

A French communique said the Germans had "begun a violent offensive against one of our positions," making small gains at the cost of heavy losses including many destroyed tanks. The French reported patrol activity in the Qusseltia mountain region.

Report Fresh Outbursts

This fresh burst of fighting in the Tunisian front was announced at Allied headquarters in North Africa as dispatches from both British and Axis quarters indicated that Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's westbound Eighth army was vigorously pursuing its object of pushing the African Corps from all Tripolitania.

A spokesman at Allied headquarters said the German column drove toward Sidi Bouzid, sixty miles west of the Axis-held port of Sfax on the Gulf of Gabes, a strategic center of the road and railway being held open for Marshal Erwin Rommel's retreating forces.

British and American fighters and bombers were flung into the breach and apparently had slowed or stopped the Axis drive short of Sidi Bouzid after day-long strafing and bombing attacks which left at least twelve Axis tanks and a number of

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ROOSEVELT BACK IN CAPITAL AFTER 14,000 - MILE VOYAGE

President Preparing for "Active and Concerted Execution" 1943 Offensive Campaigns

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—President Roosevelt returned to the White House tonight to put into "active and concerted execution" plans for 1943 offensive campaigns which he and Prime Minister Churchill drafted at their historic unconditional surrender conference at Casablanca.

But problems other than active prosecution of the war confronted the chief executive on his safe return from some 14,000 danger-fraught miles of travel—much of it by air.

Most pressing, perhaps, was the controversial diplomatic nomination of Edward J. Flynn, scheduled to come before a sharply divided Senate tomorrow.

There was no word from the White House on any of the matters however.

Returns by Train

A terse announcement signed by Presidential Secretary Stephen Early and read to press associations shortly before 8 p. m., eastern war time, said only that the president had returned, adding that the last stage of the trip had been made by special train from Miami after a flight from Brazil.

Mr. Roosevelt during his twenty-three-day trip covered a distance approximately equal to some of the highly publicized 'round-the-world flights of a few years ago.

No word of his departure was permitted to be made public until 10 p. m. last Tuesday night, two days after he and Mr. Churchill concluded their ten-day conference.

May Describe Conference

Mr. Roosevelt was away from the White House on this trip a full week longer than last fall, when he made a coast-to-coast tour of the country to see shipyards and

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Flynn Nomination Seems Likely To Be Withdrawn

Opposition Growing To Roosevelt's Envoy to Australia

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP) — Edward J. Flynn said tonight that although his friends in the Senate had assured him his confirmation to be minister to Australia was certain he was asking President Roosevelt to withdraw the nomination.

"I am unwilling to permit my candidacy to be made the excuse for a partisan political debate in the Senate," Flynn said.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—Reports were prevalent in the capital today that Edward J. Flynn's controversial diplomatic nomination might be withdrawn in the face of strong Senate opposition but they drew no confirmation from the nominee himself or administration leaders.

Senator Tydings (D-Md), one of half a dozen Democratic senators still publicly uncommitted, expressed the view that "it is not unlikely, in the face of mounting opposition, that Mr. Flynn's nomination may be withdrawn and recalled by the president."

Flynn himself said he had no comment on the situation and Majority Leader Barkley of Kentucky reported he had heard nothing so far to indicate that the nomination would be withdrawn, although he conceded that such an action would not lack precedent.

"Right Close Fight"

"It looks like a right close fight," was Barkley's only comment after Senator McKellar (D-Tenn) definitely joined six other democrats in opposition ranks.

Any move to recall the nomination probably would be made before the Senate opens debate at noon tomorrow for a withdrawal later would be difficult to justify.

On the other hand some observers, taking their cue from President Roosevelt's course in confronting

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Farm Bureau Asks 54-Hr. Work Week

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. (AP)—The Maryland Farm Bureau has called for the immediate establishment of a 54-hour work week.

In a resolution filed with Senator Radcliffe yesterday, the organization charged the forty-hour week is the principal cause of the critical labor shortage on Maryland farms.

The resolution asserted that "those who advocate its (forty-hour week's) retention in this hour of crisis can only be actuated by greed, selfishness or politics.

"We insist that government agencies be stopped from their obvious intentions to force social reforms and labor unionism on farms, truly the last straw in breaking the morale of harassed agriculture."

Mileage Figures For Roosevelt Trip

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP) — President Roosevelt traveled at least 13,823 miles on his 23-day trip. Here are the mileage figures based on announced stops:

Washington to Trinidad 2,300.
Trinidad to Casablanca 3,673.
Casablanca to Dakar 1,350.
Dakar to Natal 1,900.
Natal to Trinidad 2,100.
Trinidad to Washington 2,400.

Negro Civilian Aide to Stimson Resigns in Huff

William H. Hastie Protests Alleged "Discrimination"

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31—(AP)—William H. Hastie, negro civilian aide to Secretary of War Stimson, said today he had resigned in protest against "discriminatory practices of the army air forces in matters affecting negroes."

He recalled in a statement that a training center for negro pilots had been established at Tuskegee university in Alabama over his protests against segregation. Since then, he said, adequate provisions have not been made for ground troops to work with qualified negro pilots.

"The simple fact," he commented, "is that the air command does not want negro pilots flying in and out of various fields, eating, sleeping and mingling with other personnel, as a service pilot must do in carrying out his various missions."

Hastie, dean of law at Howard university here, said that when he took office "the secretary of war directed that all questions of policy and important proposals relating to negroes should be referred to my office for comment or approval before final action."

Opposed Plan

"In December, 1940, the air forces referred to me a plan for a segregated training center for negro pursuit pilots at Tuskegee," he said. "I expressed my entire disagreement with the plan, giving my reasons in detail. My views were disregarded. Since then, the air command has never on its own initiative submitted any plan or project to me for comment or recommendation. Whatever information I obtained, I had to seek out. Where I made proposals or recommendations, I volunteered them.

"But the reactionary policies and discriminatory practices of the air forces are much more serious than the matter of ignoring my office. It should be understood that from the

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Rene Massigli Flees to London

LONDON, Jan. 31. (AP)—Rene Massigli, 53, French ambassador to Turkey before being dismissed by Vichy in 1940, has escaped from France, and joined Gen. Charles De Gaulle in London, the Fighting French press service said today.

Massigli, former director of the political section of the French republic's ministry of foreign affairs, lived in South France following his recall from Ankara on Nazi instructions.

Allies "Repulsed" By Oxford Guard

OXFORD, England, Jan. 31—Military referees credited the Oxford Home Guard and University Training Corps today with repulse of British and United States troops who "attacked" the city during two day maneuvers.

Sees End of German Air Force This Year

LONDON, Jan. 31 (AP) — Brig. Gen. Frank O'D. Hunter, chief of the United States Fighter Commond, decorated eleven American fighter pilots for gallantry today and predicted that 1943 would see "the end of the Luftwaffe as a fighting force."

"The Hun fighter force started down in 1942," he said. "In 1943 it will be all down. Ours is going up and up and up."

Among the decorations awarded at a flying field "somewhere in England," were nine air medals.

Among those awarded the air medal were: First Lieut. Cadman V. Padgett, of Bethesda, Md.; Lieut. Roy W. Evans of Washington, D. C.

Missing Officer Reports He's Safe

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA, Jan. 30 (Delayed)—(AP)—Lieut. E. F. Cihak, of 1815 South Highland avenue, Berwyn, Ill., says his mother believes he has been badly injured despite his telegram to the contrary so he asked AP war correspondent Vern Haugland to let her know again.

"She will believe I am okay if the Associated Press says so," the husky university of Illinois graduate said.

Giraud Expresses Gratitude to FDR

LONDON, Jan. 31. (AP) — Gen. Henri Giraud in a telegram to President Roosevelt today expressed the gratitude which he said overseas France feels for "the decisive help of the United States." France now, he said, "can accomplish the mission which is hers and free Metropolitan France."

The message from the French high commissioner in North Africa, as broadcast by the Morocco radio, said:

"I send my warmest greetings both to you and to the great Allied republic.

"I wish to express to you as if we were face to face the gratitude which overseas France feels."

New York Chamber of Commerce Urges Federal Retail Sales Tax

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP) — A report urging Congress to enact a national retail sales tax to curb inflation, and a pay-as-you-go income tax plan on the Ruml principle was made public today by the Committee on Taxation, Chamber of Commerce of the state of New York.

The report asserted that "if the fundamental plan is to discourage ...essary spending for commodi-... ...ich there is a diminishing ...ral retail sales tax, ...d, will accomplish ... only those who ...he tax."

...it would be diffi-...r a withholding ...her than wages ... like forms of ...personal services, ...t already has, ...security act, the machinery for collecting a withholding tax. The extension of this tax, however, to other sources of income would impose a terrific burden upon business already overwhelmed by government requirements."

The report said tax figures showed there probably were between 6,500,000 and 10,000,000 individual stockholders in the nation, the majority of them in lower income groups, with some corporations having from 100,000 to 500,000 stockholders, most of them with but few shares.

"Many millions of individuals," the report declared, "are living on income so small that they are not subject to income taxes, and the deduction of a withholding tax at the source would be a serious matter, regardless of the fact that it would be possible later to prove that they were not liable to any tax."

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Taxi Driver Slain In His Own Cab

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—Police tonight blamed an unidentified highway man for the knife slaying of Arthur H. Weisenberger, 27-year-old cab driver.

Weisenberger was attacked in his cab late last night. An autopsy showed he had been stabbed twenty-four times. He apparently put up a hard struggle, police said. His left hand bore a deep cut where he was believed to have grasped the killer's knife.

Weisenberger's empty wallet was found on the front seat.

Bill To License Foreign Doctors In Maryland To Come Up This Week

By W. CHASE IDOL, Jr.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 31 (AP)—The medical profession in Maryland may be expected to answer in strong terms a proposal under which foreign doctors would be permitted to practice medicine in the state.

Present restrictions require doctors to be graduates of American universities before they can be licensed to practice medicine in this state.

Under a proposal introduced in the legislature Friday by delegate Leon A. Rubenstein, the state board of medical examiners would be authorized to license "with or without examination" foreign doctors who are deemed qualified to practice in this state.

The bill provides that "such license be valid for the duration of the present war only," but some questions have arisen as to whether this will be another "emergency" measure which, once passed, will continue as a hangover for years to come.

Probe Appropriations

The Senate Finance committee, of which Senator James J. Lindsay is chairman, is going over every budget appropriation and recommendation with a magnifying glass.

Not satisfied at all with the

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Six American Nurses Land in Africa

CAIRO, Jan. 31 (AP)—Objecting to being "glamorized," six American nurses arrived today at an advanced desert landing ground as the first group to do field duty in Africa.

They are: Josephine Mele, Willoughby, Ohio; Alice Bery, Springfield, Ohio; Loretta Carter, Rockport, Ind.; Margaret O'Hare, Youngstown, Ohio; Helen Oakes, Ravenna, Ky.; and Margaret Bagar, Freeman, W. Va.

They arrived with their tin hats slung over their shoulders and mess-kits in their hands.

34 Burn to Death in Lake Forest Sanitarium Fire; Fifteen Rescued

SEATTLE, Jan. 31 (AP)—Thirty-four persons, mostly aged invalids, were burned to death today in a fire which destroyed the Lake Forest Park sanitarium just north of Seattle. Fifteen of the forty-nine patients in the building were rescued.

The victims, among whom were a few mental cases, were trapped in their beds. Leo McCombs, district fire commissioner, said they never had a chance to be rescued from the blazing wooden structure whose only exits were two small doors.

Capt. Victor Jones of the state patrol said that of the fifteen persons rescued at least two were burned critically.

Three hours after the blaze had started, the building was but shell of walls with roof collapsed and bodies and beds strewn through the debris. In one small room—not more than fifteen by twenty-five feet—reporters counted eight beds from which none had been rescued.

The fire started from an oil burner on which a repairman was working, Captain Jones reported. He and J. C. Bookey, another district fire commissioner, said the flames mounted so fast that any attempt at rescue was impossible.

Bookey said he was called at his home a mile and a half from the blaze and that by the time he arrived the entire building was in flames.

Jack Mullen and Lou Monroe, who live across the street from the sanitarium, raced from their homes when the first smoke was seen and pulled a few of the bedridden patients from the first floor windows. They were driven back after a few minutes by flames, Mullen said.

Those they were able to reach were unable to help themselves and

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German Leaders Appear Worried Over War Moves

Anniversary Speeches Seem To Indicate Fear of Defeat

LONDON, Jan. 31 (AP) —The grim tone of the bomb-accompanied pronouncements by Adolph Hitler, Herman Goering and Paul Joseph Goebbels was considered by political quarters here today as the most significant feature of yesterday's drab Nazi party celebration in Berlin.

Signs of the times were seen in the fact that, instead of shouting the customary bombast about what Germany would do to her enemies, the Nazi triumvirate told their people little more than that they must be prepared to fight and die for the Fuehrer.

"The events of the week have shown the depths to which Hitler has dragged Germany during the ten years of his regime," said one prominent informant who cannot be identified by name.

Germans Show Fear

"A study of yesterday's rantings discloses plainly the black fear that is in the hearts of the German leaders. Germany will continue to fight desperately, but the events of this miserable week end will heighten the fear which is rising."

Commentators expressed belief that Hitler, whose proclamation harped on the spector of Bolshevism sweeping over Europe, hoped to disunite the Allies and clear the way for a negotiated peace.

Air Marshal Goering, whose address was delayed an hour by British Mosquito bombers overhead, also emphasized the Soviet threat. He declared however, that German armies would again take the offensive in the spring to "crush Bolshevik resistance."

Latest Goebbels Boast

Goebbels, in perhaps his most striking statement, declared "The word capitulate has never existed in our vocabulary and it never will." Attempts to sabotage the German war effort, he said would be suppressed by the "severest penalties."

It was considered significent that none of the three Nazi spokesmen mentioned the warfare in North Africa nor the increasing scope of the Allies' aerial bombardment of the continent.

Announcement of the appointment of Admiral Karl Doenitz to the supreme command of the German navy to replace Grand Admiral Erich Raeder yesterday was seen here as a possible move to brighten the somber outlook.

Doenitz, originator of "wolfpack" submarine tactics, is widely recognized as a master of underwater warfare, and his appointment portended intensification of the campaign against Allied shipping.

Hitler's failure to attend the Nazi celebration was the subject of considerable speculation in the London press. A typical question was raised in Lord Beaverbrook's Sunday express: "Why did he hide in isolation?"

"He was said to be with his troops," the paper continued, "and contents himself, with issuing a prosy, rambling proclamation to the nation instead of a much-needed rousing oration.

"Why did he leave the oratory to Goering?

"The answer to these intriguing questions may be that his intuition warned him that the RAF would take a hand in the festivities. If so, for once he was right."

Hamburg Bombed

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bad flying weather, Allied bombers roared across the channel to spread fire and death in the Reich or in German-occupied territory. There were twenty-one day raids and seventeen by night.

Undoubtedly bringing the most satisfaction to the British airforce was yesterday's unceremonious disruption of the Nazi celebration in Berlin, even though Adolph Hitler was not present to witness the shower of bombs on his capitol.

The British air ministry gave no details of the twin attacks, other than to say that one of its swift light bombers failed to return from the second raid. DNB, German official news agency, finally acknowledged that hostile planes had penetrated to Berlin by daylight under cover of clouds, but asserted that "there was no damage, although the planes dropped bombs at random."

The American Eighth army air force had climaxed its extensive January operations last Wednesday with a heavy daylight assault by Liberators and Flying Fortresses on the naval base at Wilhelmshaven—the first raid on Germany proper by an American air force since the war began.

Twenty-two Nazi fighters were reported shot down in the battle over the heavily-protected submarine nest, against a loss of only three of the American four-motored ships, which attacked without fighter protection.

Another "first" for the mounting Allied aerial might in January was an attack four days ago on Copenhagen, capital of German-occupied Denmark, which previously had felt no bombs. There submarine building yards and plants making Diesel engines for U-boats were hit.

Former Publisher Dies

EMMITSBURG, Md., Jan. 31 (AP) —John D. Elder, 57, former editor and publisher of the Emmittsburg Chronicle, died last night in a Baltimore hospital.

HE TAKES NEW YORK'S SNOWSTORM SITTING DOWN

This camel, who makes his home at the Central Park Zoo in New York, didn't mind the minor blizzard that hit the city. After all, why should he? He's got a camel's hair coat, hasn't he? That should keep him warm enough. All right, we'll stop. You can blame it on the weather. The city is still digging itself out.

Flynn Nomination

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congressional opposition in the past, thought it likely that the matter would be pushed to a showdown regardless of the prospects. A vote would compel all opponents to go on record and deprive them of the easy victory which a withdrawal would constitute.

Flynn could be sent to the southwest Pacific as the president's personal representative, a post requiring no Senate confirmation, even if the Senate repects his formal nomination as minister to Australia to succeed Nelson T. Johnson, but it was considered unlikely that Mr. Roosevelt would proceed with this if the Senate acts adversely.

Appointed Ambassador

Mr. Roosevelt, in advising Flynn of his nomination as minister, said: "In addition, I am appointing you my personal representative with the rank of ambassador. I do so because in the very large area of the Southwest Pacific I want to feel free to avail myself of your services in various other forms of activity, over and above your duties as minister."

Flynn, who headed Mr. Roosevelt's third term campaign as democratic national chairman, evidently was resting his case on his final statement to the Senate Foreign Relations committee—that he never would have permitted Mr. Roosevelt to submit his name if there had been anything dishonorable in his life.

Gillette To Give Reasons

The committee approved the nomination thirteen to ten, with three Democratic members — George of Georgia, Gillette of Iowa and Van Nuys of Indiana—voting against it. Gillette at that time said he would disclose on the Senate floor his reasons for opposing the nomination.

Republicans, led by Senator Bridges of New Hampshire, contended that Flynn's record made him unfit for the diplomatic post. Bridges called the nomination an insult to Australians and laid emphasis on the use of New York city municipal workers in the paving of a lot at Flynn's country estate. Flynn denied that he knew the work was done by city employes using city-owned materials and said he promptly paid the costs of about $750 when he found this out.

Tydings Predicts Withdrawal of Flynn

BALTIMORE, Jan. 31 (AP) — Senator Millard E. Tydings (D-Md) declared today that "it is not unlikely" that President Roosevelt might withdraw his nomination of Edward J. Flynn, to be minister to Australia and "roving ambassador in the Pacific."

Tydings, in a radio broadcast, said President Roosevelt might recall the nomination of the former Democratic National committee chairman "to avoid Mr. Flynn's possible rejection by the Senate."

He said that, if the nomination were placed before the Senate the vote would be very close, and the Maryland senator predicted that Flynn "would be confirmed or rejected by a margin of 1, 2, 3, or possibly 4 votes."

He declored the "so-called criminal and other charges brought against Flynn in Senate Foreign Relations committee hearing, would have little bearing on the Senate vote.

Tydings said the main question in the minds of most senators regarding the Flynn appointment was:

"Is he the best man available to undertake such an important mission?"

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the rescuers were forced to slide them through a window onto boards and tables.

Mullen's wife, Mrs. Arja Mullen, said nine of those saved were brought to her home before being transferred to hospitals and that all were burned, so horribly I don't see how they remained conscious."

Weather in Nearby States

WEST VIRGINIA — Showers changing to snow flurries and becoming much colder.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA — Showers changing to snow flurries and becoming much colder.

Japanese Bombed By Allied Planes

Long-Range Fighters Attack Airdrome at Koepang, Timor

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS in AUSTRALIA, Monday, Feb. 1—(AP) —Sporadic fighting is continuing in the Mubo-Wau area near Salamaua, New Guinea, the Allied communique reported today.

Meantime, the Allied air forces carried the attack to the enemy over wide areas.

Long range fighters attacked the airdrome at Koepang, Timor, with cannon and machinegun fire, destroying or damaging eight Japanese bombers and a fighter caught on the ground.

Heavy bombers pounded enemy shipping in the Ambon region, with unobserved results.

Rabaul harbor in New Britain was given further attention. Heavy bombers dropped their missiles on shipping and harbor installations in an attack carried out just before dawn. Haze and searchlight defenses prevented the fliers' seeing what hits were scored.

At Wewak, New Guinea, heavy bombers also attacked the airdrome and shipping but results were not observed. Strafing silenced antiaircraft positions there, however.

Knox under Fire

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war as soon as possible and have abounding confidence in their ability to do it."

Travels 20,000 Miles

The secretary's trip was a most complete inspection, involving more than 20,000 miles in air travel from Washington and return. He said its purpose was to get first hand information on how to spend funds and speed the movement of supplies.

"On Guadalcanal I think we have dissipated the threat of the Japanese ground forces. We are now dominating the island. I went to the battle lines with Admiral Halsey and visited the front line battalion command and talked to the enlisted men. The army had the remaining Japs there pocketed in ravines and facing starvation.

"In my judgment, it may be a fallacious one, but my opinion is that the Japanese will have abandoned any idea of reinforcement of their troops there and within the next thirty days all organized resistance on Guadalcanal will disappear.

On another island, not far away, I cannot disclose its location, I visited a fine hospital. There were twenty-five to thirty nurses there. That makes the men happy. It is possible that within twenty-four hours after a man is wounded on Guadalcanal he can be on a hospital bed, with the best surgeons in the world taking care.

"One of our greatest enemies is malaria. The army and navy are thoroughly aware of how great this is and the most modern means are being used to meet this peril. I can say that the men can get better attention for malaria there than they could at home."

Nazi Tank Force

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trucks in flames in the pass, and hit columns moving along the Sfax-Maknassy road farther to the south.

The new burst of activity followed strong weekend blows by British and American bombers on Axis bases.

The fresh German land thrust appeared designed to blunt the force of a three-pronged Allied drive to block Rommel in his race to join the forces of Col.-Gen. Jurgen von Arnim to the northwest.

Strong British Attacks

Both Italian and German high commands spoke of strong British attacks in western Tripolitania, but said they were driven off. The Rome communique said the attackers, despite the use of tanks and strong artillery fire, "were repulsed with considerable losses."

While Allied sources remained silent on the operations of a U. S. army column known to be operating in Central Tunisia, Axis reports said it was moving closer to the Gulf of Gabes.

Bill To License

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budget recommendations for Maryland's colleges, the committee has asked presidents of the various state schools to appear for a hearing and to explain exactly why such sums of money, as recommended, are needed.

The legislators are fully aware that numerous activities of the educational institutions have been curtailed for the duration, and neither the delegates nor the senators are inclined to put a blanket "O.K." on the proposals unless the college heads can explain every item in the budget and answer every question which will be put to them.

Several legislators have said they will make drastic cuts in the college appropriations, if possible.

Bridge Guard Proposal

Coming in for its share of the finance committee's spotlight this week will be the hearing on the much - discussed $700,000 recommended appropriation for bridge guards.

Few legislators have expressed full approval of the manner in which the problem — one of emergency — has been handled.

"The qualifications for the job are too low," one senator said, "and the system by which the guards are assigned to their posts is entirely out of balance."

To get as clear a picture as possible of the entire setup, the finance committee has invited to the hearing Brig. Gen. Dwight H. Mohr, commander of the Maryland State Guard; Maj. Gen. Milton A. Reckord, of the Third Service Command; and Col. Beverly S. Ober, superintendent of state police.

Vice Hearing Tuesday

The legislators are worried over the rapidly growing venereal disease problem in this state and the Senate will hold an executive session Wednesday afternoon to look into all details of the situation.

Preceding the Senate's session will be a hearing Tuesday afternoon by the Finance committee on the same subject.

High-ranking officials have been invited to attend the executive session, and the information which they lay before the senators will form the basis for future legislation.

That some solution must be worked out quickly is the concensus of opinion in both the Senate and the House.

Roosevelt Back

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other war plants in production. After that trip he addressed the nation by radio, and there was conjecture tonight whether he would again go before the microphones to tell the people in person about his epochal conference with the British prime minister and the things he observed going to Africa and coming home.

The communique the American and British leaders issued at Casablanca said they had agreed upon a master plan for 1943 aimed at forcing the Axis nations' unconditional surrender.

Wears Sweater, Rides Jeep

Wearing a turtle neck sweater and riding a jeep, Mr. Roosevelt also reviewed American troops in North Africa and visited some of the beachheads where the AEF had landed.

Flying homeward, he visited Liberia, the West African republic founded by American negro freedmen, and winged over Dakar harbor, long feared as a potential stepping-off place for an Axis attack upon the Americas but now under Allied control.

Then the president sped across the Atlantic to Natal, at the easternment bulge of South America. There, aboard a United States destroyer, he talked with President Getulio Vargas of Brazil about Western Hemisphere defenses and the Casablanca conference.

Saturday he arrived at Trinidad, British West Indies outpost where the United States has a base to guard the Panama canal's eastern approaches. Cheered by the populace, he rejoined his personal chief of staff, Admiral William D. Leahy, recovered from an attack of influenza which forced him to stop at Trinidad on the presidential party's trip from Washington to Africa.

Last night Mr. Roosevelt and members of his party arrived at Miami by air and transferred to a special train for the trip to Washington.

Special Militia Named in France

[By The Associated Press]

The French cabinet, meeting Saturday with Pierre Laval, established a new special militia to deal with rising internal disorders, including increased black market activities, the German radio announced last night.

An economic crisis in France has resulted in increased black marketeering which the French government "was unable to fight without having larger and more reliable police forces," said the broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press.

In addition to establishing the militia, the cabinet voted a new status for French gendarmes, transforming them into a virtual military organization.

Last week it was reported through Switzerland that 170 men and eighty women had been shot at Marseille, France's second largest city, during a state of siege imposed after Frenchmen fired on German soldiers.

University of Maryland Has Mid-Year Graduation

COLLEGE PARK, Md., Jan. 31 (AP) — The first mid-term graduation ever held at the university of Maryland opened today with Baccalaureate services for 290 graduates.

The sermon was delivered in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, College Park, by Rev. Nathaniel C. Acton, who told the outgoing class, "do not fear the future. Have faith in our national character which can make you better men and women."

A war time note was struck by the presence of sixty graduates in their advanced R.O.T.C. uniforms and a military color guard which headed the processional. President H. C. Byrd and deans of all the schools sat on the plaform.

Russia Reports

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Kursk and Kharkov, backbone of the Nazi line last winter.

In the debacle at Stalingrad, the Russians said, 5,000 German officers and men were taken prisoner on Sunday alone.

All that remained of the huge armies that Hitler sacrificed at Stalingrad was a pocket in the northern factory area of the city, and this too was being hemmed in ever closer by the Soviet vise.

This was the fate of the German forces which rejected a Soviet ultimatum earlier this month to surrender or die.

The Russians declared that information from the captured generals showed the army trapped by the offensive begun in November numbered 330,000 troops, and not 220,000 as first estimated.

In the general offensive launched Jan. 10 after the ultimatum was rejected, "Soviet troops according to incomplete data have destroyed over 100,000 German officers and men," the communique asserted.

46,000 New Prisoners

In the last four days alone, it said, 18,000 Germans were taken prisoner, making a total of 46,000 laying down their arms since the last Soviet drive was begun twenty days ago.

Stupendous quantities of tanks, planes, guns, and other war material were captured, the Russians said.

The sixteen captured generals included Lieut. Gen. Schmidt, Paulus's chief of staff, and the quartermaster general of the German Sixth army. Of the other fourteen, ten were German lieutenant generals, two were German major generals, and two were Rumanian generals.

Seven colonels also were gathered up in the final liquidation drive.

Split German Forces

Early in January the Russians split the besieged Germans in two, and launched a general offensive for their "annihilation" when the Nazi commanders rejected the ultimatum calling for surrender.

Forty six thousand officers and men have been taken prisoner since this general offensive began Jan. 10, the communique declared.

"As is known," the communique, "the German troops encircled at Stalingrad between Nov. 23 and Jan. 10, owing to our artillery fire and systematic bombing, also owing to frost and disease, lost about 140,000 men.

"Thus, since the beginning of the general offensive by our troops, Jan. 10, 1943, the German troops encircled at Stalingrad numbered, together with the reinforcement troops, construction organization, police detachments of the army and a corps of rear detachments, about 190,000 officers and men.

"These figures are confirmed by the general quartermaster of the Sixth German army, who stated that on Jan. 10 the German troops encircled outside Stalingrad numbered together with the rear detachments 195,000.

"This data gives still greater importance to the victory of the Soviet troops at Stalingrad."

Advance in North

The Russians, meanwhile, beat forward in the north Caucasus after capturing Maikop and Tikhoretsk and remorselessly cut at the remnants of nine trapped divisions west of Voronezh in a battle of annihilation second only to the slaughter at Stalingrad.

Eight towns were captured overnight in the Voronezh area, where the Red army has thrust within sixty miles of Kursk, fifty-five miles of Belgorod and seventy-five miles of Kharkov.

In the Caucasus, the Russians said they "advanced fighting" to a point within forty miles of Kranodar. That Kuban river city and the Black Sea naval base of Novorossisk are the only large places left to the enemy below Rostov.

O'Conor Endorses Bond Court Plan

BALTIMORE, Jan. 31—(AP)—Governor O'Conor today endorsed the Bond Commission report calling for reorganization of state, county and Baltimore city courts, declaring himself in favor of it "in its entirety."

The recommendations, handed down by a commission headed by the late Chief Judge Carroll T. Bond of the court of appeals, included:

Consolidation of the courts of Baltimore city into a single court, to be known as the superior court of Baltimore city;

Abolition of the present juvenile courts;

Reduction of the number of judges on the court of appeals from eight to five, two of whom would come from Baltimore city and the other three elected from the state at large. (The court now has one judge from Baltimore city and the others are elected from the state's judicial circuits.)

Abolition of the orphans court throughout the state and the probate work to be taken over by the superior court in Baltimore and the circuit courts in the counties.

Limitation of the number of trial judges in Baltimore to ten and an aggregate of twenty-one in the counties.

The measures proposed are scheduled for first hearings before the state legislature this week.

Dr. James Stack Dead

CRUMPTON, Md., Jan. 31 (AP)—Dr. James W. Stack, 75, former judge of the Queen Anne's county orphans' court and a member of the first class to take the state board medical examination, died at his home last night after an illness of two weeks.

Pay-as-You-Go

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committee is to hear discussion of the manpower problem from Secretary of Agriculture Wickard tomorrow, from Chairman Donald M. Nelson of the War Production Board Tuesday, and from Chairman Paul V. McNutt of the War Manpower Commission Wednesday.

At a closed session tomorrow, the Senate Agriculture committee will question Admiral Emory S. Land of the Maritime Commission on the shipping shortage and how it might limit the number of soldiers who can be moved overseas.

The proposal to limit the president's salary limitation is embodied in an amendment by Rep. Gearhart (R-Calif) to a measure which would raise the national debt limit to $210,000,000,000. The Ways and Means committee will consider it Saturday.

Hearings on Lend-Lease operations, begun last week, will continue before the House Foreign Affairs committee Tuesday.

New Navy Bill Ready

During the week, a $210,000,000,-navy bill, already approved by committee, is expected to come up in the House. It would authorize a globe-girdling system of drydocks.

Senators Pepper (D-Fla) and Kilgore (D-WVa) announced they would introduce tomorrow a revised version of their technological mobilization bill, first offered last session. The measure proposes four offices to manage production for war: An office of production and supply, office of manpower supply, office of economic stabilization, and an office of scientific and technical mobilization. Kilgore said that under the plan all would be geared "together like the parts of a watch."

The House Commerce committee, which has opposed legislation to create a standing committee on aviation, will start a study of the general civilian aviation situation Tuesday. Chairman Lea (D-Calif) said the first witnesses would be L. W. Bogue, chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board, and Edgar S. Gorrell of the Air Transport Association.

Lea opposed proposals to set up a separate aviation committee on the ground that his group could handle aviation legislation. The Rules committee has taken no action on the proposals, hearings on which will be resumed this week.

Negro Civilian

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beginning the air command did not want negro personnel. Resistance bred of that attitude has been met ever since."

Negro Common Laborer

He described negro ground troops assigned to aviation as "so-called 'aviation squadrons (separate)'" and said they "have never had a defined function." They are assigned, he reported, to "odd jobs of common labor which arise from time to time at air fields. "The units," he continued, "would never have come into existence except for the necessity of making some provision for negro enlisted men in the air forces."

Hastie said that "a few" negroes were accepted for ground force technical training at Chanute Field, Ill., and "did excellent work" but that training stopped with the first group.

"The air forces," he continued, "then made efforts to set up segregated technical training at Tuskegee or elsewhere. Difficulties were encountered. Meanwhile, successive classes of negro pilots were being trained, but no technical schooling of supporting ground crew members was in progress. Thus, even the segregated program got badly out of balance in the effort to effect its extension. The prospect is that in 1943, even with a tardy resumption of technical ground training, negro pilots will be ready before and faster than adequate numbers of trained ground crews are available."

DISTRIBUTORS TOLD STAMP NO. 27 VALID UNTIL FEBRUARY 15

Robert E. Barnard, manager of the Cumberland field office of the OPA, calls the attention of distributors to the fact that Ration Stamp No. 27 for coffee has been made valid for the purpose of deposit through February 15.

The reason for the extension of time is that many of the distributors were unable to obtain coffee due to a shortage which existed at the time of the expiration date on January 3 and as a result were stuck with the stamps turned over to them by the retailers.

Barnard emphasized the fact that this ruling does not apply to consumers as their No. 27 stamp expired last month and No. 28, now in use, is valid until midnight February 7.

All other stamps held by distributors must be deposited no later than twenty days from the last day on which they were valid for consumer purchase.

Auxiliary Policeman Praised for Saving Man's Life Here

Clarence A. Jewell, 66 Marion street, a captain in the Cumberland auxiliary police under the civilian defense system, has been commended by Chief of Police Oscar A. Eyerman, for his work in reviving Harry F. Lowery, who was overcome by fumes from a gas stove several weeks ago.

Chief Eyerman said Jewell's training in first aid and artificial respiration resulted in paying dividends with a life saved.

Sgt. Raymond R. Johnston and Officer John H. Newhouse were also commended for their efficient use of the police resuscitator in reviving John F. Daum, son of a city policeman, who was also overcome by gas fumes on January 8.

One Driver Is Fined And Two Forfeit Bond

Millard L. Covner, 25 Hill street, Frostburg, was fined $10 and costs Saturday in trial magistrates' court on a charge of exceeding thirty miles an hour through the LaVale section. He was arrested by Trooper M. Frank Beamer.

Howard Durst, 42 North Mechanic street, Frostburg, arrested last Sunday on the same charge, forfeited $5.75 bond.

Walter F. Rotruck, North Lee street, was acquitted of operating his car at unreasonable speed, and Eugene Bertone, of Painesville, O., was acquitted of attempting to pass another car when the way ahead was not clear. They were arrested Friday, following a sideswipe collision on the McMullen Highway. Magistrate Bruce ruled there was no criminal negligence involved and that it was snowing heavily at the time.

Arrested by Officer J. W. Snyder for failing to stop at a red traffic light on Baltimore street, Philip A. Cherry, of Green Spring, W. Va., forfeited $5 bond Saturday in police court.

Recruiting Office For Nurses Started

A nurses recruiting committee will be at the local Red Cross office, post office building, beginning February 6 to interview, advise and assist nurses wishing to enroll as army or navy nurses.

Miss Sadie Gladwin is chairman, and the following women are members of the committee: Mrs. R. W. Work, Miss Mary Small, Mrs. George Sachs, Sister Fidelis, Mrs. Mary Freed, Miss Margaret E. Coulehan, Miss Mabel Lewis and Mrs. Norbert Sell.

Harry Porch To Speak At Rotary Luncheon

Harry Porch, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, and a 1942 Rotarian, will be the guest speaker at the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the Rotary club tomorrow at 12:15 p. m., in the Central Y. M. C. A.

Porch is also a member of the Cumberland War Price and Rationing Board.

Patent Is Issued

Celanese Corporation of America last week was granted United States Letters patent No. 2,309,176 on application of Dr. Henry Dreyfus. The patent relates to the manufacture of dyestuffs and to the coloration of cellulose ester materials with said dyestuffs.

19 Found Dead

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crash is about 100 miles north of San Francisco.

The sheriff's report said the plane, flying through one of the heaviest rainstorms in years in this area, hit a vertical cliff about 150 feet below the ridge of a 2,000-foot mountain.

The wreckage was found in a timber-covered area which had been covered by army and navy planes in their search along the coast.

Long before the wreckage was definitely identified, soldiers moved into the district and guarded the roads which taper off into the rugged country. No one was allowed to pass the guards.

Mrs. Charles Wallack, wife of a rancher, told of seeing a huge plane she thought was in distress on the stormy morning of Jan. 21. She was on duty as an airplane spotter for the aircraft warning service.

Nutrition Week Opens Today at Fort Hill High

Students and Teachers Unite To Spread Gospel of Good Eating

The public is invited to participate this week in a "Nutrition for Victory Week", at Fort Hill high school, sponsored by the Home Economics department.

Promoted for the purpose of disseminating information to students, teachers, families and friends of the school, on the subject of proper eating in war-time the entire five-day period of classes this week will be devoted to phases of nutrition and the part it plays in the health of the nation.

Beginning today nutrition news will be broadcast each morning over the public address system of the school. Coach William Hahn will speak at 8:55 o'clock this morning on the subject, "Proper Food Builds Strong Bodies". Today's slogan at the school is "Fork the Right Food and Knife the Axis."

Tomorrow, a skit will be presented by girls of the Home Economics department and the day's slogan will be "Pick a Lunch That Packs a Punch."

Wednesday, Victor D. Heisey, school principle, will talk on "Proper Eating." The slogan for Wednesday will be "Food is Ammunition—Are You Producing?"

Thursday the slogan will be "Food is a Weapon—Are You Well Armed"? Friday, members of the faculty will present a skit and the slogan for the day will be "Foods Win the War".

An assembly program has been arranged for parents and friends at 2 p. m. Wednesday when teachers will present a skit entitled, "Mother Does Her Bit". A motion picture will also be shown and food hints, menus and recipes will be furnished those desiring them.

During Nutrition Week, emphasis will be placed on proper food in the cafeteria and information will be sent to each home represented in the school, to help parents meet the problems of food shortages and food rationing.

Correct Clock Bill Is State-wide War Measure, See Says

Charles M. See, chairman of the Allegany county delegation of the House of Delegates, last evening emphasized the fact that the bill which he introduced last Thursday making it a misdemeanor to maintain for public use a clock which is inaccurate or not posed with a warning sign, in state-wide and is not only intended for Allegany county.

See termed his bill a war measure.

He stated that many war workers and men in the service do not carry watches and they take it for granted that a public clock is correct. When clocks are incorrect persons are put in a position to miss regular buses and trains, making them late for work or causing them to arrive late at camps.

See declared that very few clocks for public use are within three minutes of being correct, hence the reason for the bill specifiying that clocks be within three minutes of the correct time, or else post a sign, "time not guaranteed."

Violators of the law, if enacted, would be subjected to a fine not to exceed $10.

Theater Manager Cited for Court

Thomas Burke, manager of the Liberty theater, was cited to appear in police court this morning on a charge of failing to pay the city movie tax. Sgt. Raymond H. Johnston made the arrest. Police said last night that a check is made of all theaters on Sundays to see that the movie tax is paid according to the number of patrons attending.

Mrs. Mary

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Mrs. Mary Morry, both of Bloomsburg, Pa.; Mrs. Tessie Savage, Benton, Pa.; Mrs. Annie Comstock and Mrs. Herman Hess, both of Berwick, Pa.

The body remains at the Lempereur residence.

Mrs. Edward Woods Dies

Mrs. Ella M. Woods, 59, wife of Edward Woods, 256 Elder street, died Saturday morning at Memorial hospital, where she had been a patient since November 21. She was a daughter of the late William and Isabella Malcolm Rains.

For a number of years she was in charge of the Haystack sanitarium. She was a graduate of the Western Maryland Hospital School of Nursing.

Mrs. Minnie Mullan Dies

Mrs. Minnie A. Mullan, 68, [illegible] at her home, 523 Valley str[illegible] day at noon. She was [illegible] Frank A. Mullan. A[illegible] land, she is survi[illegible] The body was take[illegible] eral home.

Patrick S. Co[illegible]

Patrick S. Cos[illegible] Emily street, die[illegible] Memorial hospital [illegible] mitted January [illegible] taken to Stein's [illegible]

Roger Day, Beall, Paces W.M.I. Scorers

Frostburg Cager Makes 57 Points in Five Battles

John Muster, Central, Holds Second Place with 51

Roger Day, lanky Beall high center, is setting the pace for scorers in the Western Maryland Interscholastic League with fifty-seven points for five games.

With the race at the half-way point, Day holds a six-point lead over big John Muster, of the Central High Tigers, who fills the runnerup slot by the slim margin of a single marker.

Fred Davis, Fort Hill forward; Calvin Schramm, of Barton, and Cueva, of Bruce, are tied for third place, each with fifty points. Schramm and Cueva each have twenty-one field goals while Davis, with sixteen doubledeckers, leads in foul goals with eighteen in thirty-one tosses.

Don Beck Is Sixth

Don Beck, of Allegany, holds sixth place in the close race with forty-six tallies, while a teammate, Bob Spangler, is seventh with forty-four. One point behind Spangler in eighth notch is Ritchie Middleton, of Beall.

Captain Wally Troutman, of Fort Hill, with forty counters, and George McDonald, of Barton, with thirty-eight, round out the first ten.

In addition to having high average of 11.4 points, Day also leads in field goals with twenty-six. The Beall center also has made the most points, twenty-two, and most field goals, eleven, in a single contest. Both of these season highs were made against Bruce.

Davis has made the most fouls in one game, converting seven of nine against Barton, while Spangler and Schramm each made five of five for the best foul average for a single engagement.

Sentinels Score Most Points

Fort Hill, holding fourth place in the six-team circuit, has scored the most points, 183, with unbeaten Allegany a close second with 181. Central, in third position, has yielded the fewest tallies, 124.

The Sentinels tallied the most points in one game when they routed Barton 60-37 but Central holds the record for most field goals with twenty-five against Barton. Barton converted the most foul tosses, fifteen, in one game, while Central has the best free-throw average for a single tilt with nine of thirteen. Individual and team scoring records follow:

	G	G	FG	Pts.
R. Day, Beall	5	26	5-13	57
Muster, Central	5	22	7-14	51
Davis, Fort Hill	5	16	18-31	50
Schramm, Barton	5	21	8-13	50
Cueva, Bruce	5	21	8-21	50
Beck, Allegany	5	21	4-13	46
Spangler, Allegany	5	15	14-19	44
Middleton, Beall	5	19	5-15	43
Troutman, Fort Hill	5	17	6-11	40
McDonald, Barton	5	14	10-28	38
Sterne, Allegany	5	13	10-13	36
Johnson, Central	5	17	0-1	34
Skidmore, Beall	5	12	6-12	30
McCutcheon, Barton	5	12	6-20	30
MacFarlane, Allegany	5	10	6-15	26
Hanna, Beall	5	11	2-7	24
Foster, Bruce	5	9	6-13	24
Robertson, Central	4	10	2-7	22
C. Miller, Central	5	7	8-12	22
Morris, Fort Hill	5	10	1-3	21
Eichhorn, Central	5	7	3-6	17
Barnes, Fort Hill	4	6	4-7	16
Ross, Barton	5	5	6-13	16
Lee, Allegany	5	5	5-15	15
Calhoun, Fort Hill	5	6	2-5	14
Thomas, Central	4	5	4-9	14
Britt, Beall	4	5	2-5	12
O'Neal, Fort Hill	5	5	1-5	11
Clark, Barton	3	3	5-8	11

Highest average of points per game—R. Day, 11.4.
Most points in one game—R. Day, 22.
Most field goals in one game—R. Day, 11.
Most fouls in one game—Davis, 7.
Best foul average for one game—Spangler and Schramm, 5-5.

TEAM RECORDS

	W	L	Pts.	O. P.
Allegany	5	0	181	143
Beall	4	1	174	138
Central	3	2	167	124
Fort Hill	2	3	183	143
Barton	1	4	155	216
Bruce	0	5	111	207

Highest average of points per game—Fort Hill, 36.6.
Most points in one game—Fort Hill, 60.
Most field goals in one game—Central, 25.
Most fouls in one game—Barton, 15.
Best foul average for one game—Central, 9-13.

Two Outfits Clinch Church Court Loop Title Playoff Berths

Y.M.C.A. CHURCH LEAGUE
Standing Of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Luke's	7	1	.875
St. Paul's	7	1	.875
Grace M. E.	6	2	.750
Centre Street	5	3	.625
Presbyterian	5	3	.625
St. John's	4	4	.500
First Methodist	3	5	.375
Episcopal	2	6	.250
United Brethren	1	7	.120
First Baptist	0	8	.000

St. Luke's and St. Paul's clinched playoff berths and Grace Methodist assured itself of at least a tie by winning Central Y. M. C. A. Church Basketball League games Saturday afternoon on the "Y" court.

Centre Street and Presbyterian remained in the running by also registering victories. The league's regular schedule will be completed Saturday and the top four teams will clash in a playoff series for the championship the following two weekends.

In Saturday's battles, St. Luke's buried First Baptist under a 73-18 score, Centre Street shaded First Methodist 23-22, Presbyterian walloped Episcopal 32-12, St. Paul's trimmed St. John's 41-14 and Grace handed United Brethren a 33-23 setback.

Two Bonham Cousins

In the past three seasons Ernie Bonham, of New York, never has been beaten by Philadelphia while winning six times over the Athletics and he has lost only one game while winning eight from Washington.

Reds May Be Playing In Artificial Twilight

CINCINNATI, Jan. 31 (AP) — The Cincinnati Reds may be playing their night games in artificial twilight late this summer.

Seems that it takes about 700 big bulbs to light the park and the Reds have about 400 left over from last year. However, these are made of something called "hard glass" and the army needs it more than baseball clubs do.

Thus, the Reds may have to get along on the present supply, supplemented by bulbs made of less durable "soft glass."

However, all bulbs get dimmer with use and it just may be that last year's hard bulbs will be kind of yellow before the season is out.

College Quints To Enter League Stretch Drives

Cagers Go Back To Work after Layoff for Examinations

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP) — With one championship already settled—in which Southern California put an end to Stanford's reign over the Southern division of the Pacific Coast Conference—collegiate basketball heads into the "anything can happen" stretch drive of its various title races this week.

After a comparative layoff for a couple of weeks to give the colleges a chance to clear up scholastic mid-year examinations, the cagers go back to work on all fronts, and most of the conference leaders will be trying to hold on to perches that are shaky, at best.

That Pacific Coast Southern division race, the first to be settled, probably will go down in the books as one of the more astonishing affairs of the season. Unbeaten Southern California knocked off U.C.L.A. during the week just ended, thereby clinching the title and completely overshadowing the rest of the loop. Stanford, which won not only the Coast crown but the national collegiate championship as well a year ago, shows only one conference win and two setbacks up to date this season. The best the Indians can hope for now is to top the Trojans in the two games still to be played between these two rivals, a stunt that probably would give Stanford second place in the final standings.

Washington Tops Coast Group

But in the Coast league's Northern half, as well as in such other loops as the Missouri Valley, the Big Ten, the Big Six and the Eastern Intercollegiate Conference, tht boys on top will discover during the coming week whether "the honeymoon is over" or whether things are really going to remain as bright as they seem now.

In the upper half of the Coast group, for instance, pace-setting Washington, which split with Oregon in two starts last week, tangles with second place Washington State in a pair of games during the next seven days that will go a long way toward deciding the top spot.

Indiana, with six conference victories, and Illinois with five have been running neck and neck in the Big ten up to now, but the burden of proof rests mostly on the Illini this week. Idle for two weeks, Illinois comes back to face Northwestern and Ohio State.

The Big Six has one of its hottest weeks on tap. At the moment it's Kansas in front, with three wins against one setback, and Iowa State and Oklahoma tied for second with two successes and one loss apiece.

Princeton Surprises

Biggest surprise in the East came last night when Princeton whipped Dartmouth's Indians 44-39. The Eastern Intercollegiate League crown has appeared to go with Dartmouth's lease during the last few years. This setback sank the Indians into fifth place, but they have a chance to come out winging this week in games against Columbia, which has won its only start, and Yale, which hasn't even come close in three outings. Pennsylvania, leading the parade with two straight wins at the moment, tackles Cornell.

The newest member of the Southern Conference, George Washington, is providing the fanciest work this season, and is still rolling along in front of the title race with three wins and no defeats. Duke's 1942 champions remained in the second slot by walloping Wake Forest and North Carolina State, thereby boosting their conference record to four victories and one defeat—the setback handed out by George Washington.

Although the Southeastern Conference championship won't be settled until the regular loop tournament later, Louisiana State's rough and tumble Tigers suddenly popped out in front of the season won-lost parade when Alabama came through 41-32 last night over Kentucky, the 1942 tournament winner. Tennessee, last year's won-lost leader but down in third place now, takes on Mississippi State this week. L.S.U., unbeaten after five conference games, has its hands full against Georgia Pre-Flight, Georgia Tech and Auburn. Kentucky gets its chance for revenge against 'Bama Saturday.

Rickey Reveals Sisler Couldn't Hit as a Rookie

New Dodger Scout Had Been Slated To Don Private Uniform

By WHITNEY MARTIN

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP)—In view of his later performances, it is quite a surprise to learn that George Sisler, the new Brooklyn Dodger scout, wasn't so hot as a hitter in his first few major league games. No Sisler, at any rate.

Branch Rickey, the new Dodger top man, revealed this when recalling the history of the famed first baseman recently, and if anyone should know Sisler's early history it would be Rickey. He watched him grow from a pup, you might say.

Rickey was coaching at the University of Michigan around 1912, and one day when the baseball squad reported he was informed there were a couple of freshmen—a pitcher and catcher —included.

"Freshmen had never been on the squad before," Rickey relates. "However, I was told these boys were pretty good, so we let them go along. They stuck with the squad.

"The pitcher was George Sisler, and perhaps you recall that later he fanned twenty men in a seven inning game between the Engineers and Lits in which the only run scored against him came as a result of a blooper over the infield which the infielder and outfielders let fall safely as they stood around waiting on each other to make the catch."

Went to the Browns

After finishing school, Sisler went to the Browns, where, by a remarkabl coincidence, Rickey was managing.

"I tried him as a left-handed third baseman," Rickey says, "but he really broke in as a first baseman. I have four new first basemen's mitts, and noticed George trying them out in that bashful, self-effacing way of his, so I put him on first.

"He was nervous, and would strike at anything. I remember that Ed Cicotte struck him out four times in one game, and there wasn't a ball called. George would swing if he had to throw his bat at the ball.

"I finally called him aside and had a long talk with him, and we decided to let him work his way back into the lineup as a pitcher. He was a good pitcher, with a three-fingered curve.

"But he was a mild, passive, amiable sort of fellow, seemingly lacking in fire. One day, however, his support went bad on him and it got under his skin. I finally took him out of the game and he demanded: 'Why did you take me out?' That's when he really caught fire."

There still is a little grousing among the old-timers in Pittsburgh over the fact that Sisler didn't become a Pirate. The story is that the Bucs actually had Sisler signed to a contract while he still was at Michigan, but the contract was voided by the baseball officials because the boy was under age.

Victim of Timing

It was understood, the Pittsburghers recall, that the Pirates would have first crack at Sisler's services when he reached his majority, but lo and behold, he turned up with the Browns. There was quite a furore over the incident at the time.

If there were no legal entanglements, it would have been only natural for Sisler to follow Rickey, his coach ,to the Browns. It may have been that he was signed by the Bucs before Rickey had any intentions of becoming the Brown manager, and for Rickey to let his star protege escape to another major league club once he, Rickey, learned he would be in a manager's shoes just wouldn't be human nature.

At any rate, Sisler became a Brown and spent the best years of his baseball life with a club that never quite had what it takes.

This year, we are told, is another year and the Brownies may have it. George was just a victim of timing. He arrived about twenty-five years too soon.

Frostburg Jayvees Whip DeMolay Five

FROSTBURG, Jan. 31 — The Frostburg State College Jayvees scored a 62-21 victory over the Cumberland DeMolay quint here last night, leading 14-7, 34-13 and 54-13 at the quarters. Blank, with eighteen points, sparked the winners while Scott had eight for DeMolay.

Sons of Legion Will Hold Installation

Officers will be installed by Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, today at 7:30 p. m., at the Legion home, Harrison street.

Refreshments will be served following the business meeting.

Driver Posts Bond

Hal H. Draper, Washington, D. C., was released Sunday morning from the county jail under $127.90 bond for a hearing on a charge of violating a state motor vehicle law. He was arrested Saturday in Eckhart by Trooper Graydon S. Dunlap.

LaSalle and Allegany Basketeers Clash Friday Night at Campobello

No Western Maryland Interscholastic League contests are scheduled this week but whatever deficit this may cause in the district scholastic basketball program should be nearly wiped out by the struggle here Friday between the undefeated LaSalle High Explorers and the Allegany High Campers.

LaSalle, with a record of thirteen consecutive triumphs, and the Campers, beaten only once in thirteen battles, each hold a verdict over the Fort Hill Sentinels and Friday's collision at 8 o'clock at Campobello will go a long way toward deciding the 1943 city championship, won last season by LaSalle.

LaSalle at Beall Tomorrow

The Explorers have looked a little more impressive than the West Siders but the fact that the third intra-city engagement of the campaign will be staged on the Allegany floor should make the teams evenly matched.

The Explorers face another tough assignment tomorrow night when they travel to Frostburg to tangle with the rangy Beall high combination in a return tussle. Beall has improved greatly since losing a one-sided, 41-19 battle to LaSalle on the SS. Peter and Paul school boards.

With no WMI League engagements on the fire, Central High's Tigers of Lonaconing will be idle and Fort Hill's Sentinels will go to Martinsburg, W. Va., Friday night for their only scrap of the week. Fort Hill topped the Martinsburg Bulldogs here earlier in the season.

Allegany Meets Piedmont

Allegany, before meeting LaSalle, will oppose Piedmont high in a return game at Piedmont, W. Va., tomorrow night. The Campers bested Coach "Huck" Mier's outfit here, 39-28. The week's district slate follows:

Tonight—Parsons at Tygarts Valley and Mathias at Romney.

Tomorrow—LaSalle at Beall, Allegany at Piedmont, Ridgeley at Bruce, Moorefield at Mathias and Romney at Capon Bridge.

Wednesday — Parsons at Thomas.

Thursday — Barton at Frostburg Jayvees, Paw Paw at Berkeley Springs, Bayard at Oakland and Keyser at Davis.

Friday—LaSalle at Allegany, Fort Hill at Martinsburg, Piedmont at Ridgeley, Keyser at Parsons, Romney at Petersburg and Capon Bridge at Paw Paw.

Travis Shatters Season's Scoring Record in State

Guard Gathers 30 Points as Old Liners Top Navy, 63-54

By FRED STABLEY
Associated Press Sports Writer

Ernie Travis, rangy University of Maryland guard, broke the season's individual scoring record for Free State cagers Saturday when he rolled in thirty points in the course of the Old Liners' 63 to 54 victory over Navy at Annapolis.

Even so he was pressed for scoring honors by Teammate Tommy Mont who accounted for twenty-three against the Middies. Between them they were just one point short of equalling Navy's total score.

More than 2,000 fans, including a large detachment of soldiers from Fort Meade, were on hand for this stand-out contest of a meagre mid-winter sports program. Cancellations, examinations and graduations cut deeply into the schedule.

During one hot streak in the second half that left fans literally gasping, Travis registered eighteen consecutive Maryland points. He took only twenty-seven shots from the floor during the contest, but they were good for fourteen twin-pointers.

Sho' Men Serve Warning

In the only other cage encounter of the day, the potent Washington college outfit swamped University of Baltimore under a 67 to 23 count at Chestertown, despite the fact substitutes played most of the game.

The Sho'men, yet to taste defeat this year at the hands of a home state team, served ample warning to cage rivals that despite current standings they are the boys to beat in state-wide and Mason-Dixon title arguments.

Maryland, despite the presence of high scoring artists like Mont and Travis and an all-around team of exceptional merit, will have a tough row to hoe in its state title quest because of a schedule probably tougher than any other school's in the state except Navy.

Western Maryland, clinging to the top rung with five victories against two defeats for the season, also cannot be counted out of the running, although their wins have been less impressive than some of the others.

In two Mason-Dixon Conference contests played earlier last week, Catholic university defeated Johns Hopkins in an overtime thriller 36 to 25 but lost to Loyola 57 to 53.

Standings Unchanged

Standings therefore remained exactly as they were, Randolph-Macon and Washington college tied for the lead with four and two victories respectively against no conference defeats, and Loyola hot on the leaders' heels with six victories against one defeat.

Five conference contests are on the agenda for this week, all of them potential dynamite for current leaders. Western Maryland will play Catholic university tonight at Washington—and the latter crew is always tough on its home floor.

Wednesday the Washington college outfit will take on Catholic U. at Washington, Delaware will oppose Western Maryland at Newark, Del., Saturday night, while Loyola will attempt to halt the Washington college cagers at Baltimore, and American will entertain Randolph-Macon at Washington. Mason-Dixon Conference standings:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Randolph-Macon	4	0	1.000
Washington	2	0	1.000
Loyola	6	1	.857
Western Maryland	3	1	.750
Catholic U.	4	2	.666
American	2	2	.500
Johns Hopkins	1	4	.200
Gallaudet	1	6	.143
Bridgewater	0	3	.000
Delaware	0	4	.000

Robinson, Jack Furnish Boxing Card High Spots

Fighters Step Up a Division for Bouts with Veterans

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP)—Beau Jack, lightweight champion of the world in the eyes of the New York State Boxing Commission, and unbeaten Ray Robinson furnish the high spots in this week's national boxing program, tangling with two veterans in ten rounders Friday night.

Both step up a division with Jack meeting Fritzie Zivic, former welterweight champion from Pittsburgh, at Madison Square Garden and Robinson clashing with Jake La Motta, New York middleweight whom he easily outpointed last October, in Detroit.

The slim New York negro will be after his forty-first consecutive pro victory. The program:

Musto Fights at Baltimore

Monday—At Newark, Jimmy Carollo, New York, vs. Larry Scalone, Newark, heavyweights (10); at Chicago, Hubert Wood, Chicago, vs. Lindy Elliott, New York, heavyweights (6); at New York, Marvin Bryant, Dallas, vs. Jerry Fiorello, New York, welterweights (8); at Baltimore, Tony Musto, Chicago, vs. Buddy Walker, Columbus, Ohio, heavyweights (10).

Tuesday—At Bridgeport, Conn., Pvt. Joe De Martino, Fort Slocum vs. Gene Johnson, New York, welterweights (10); at New York, Maxie Shapiro, New York, vs. Bobby McIntyre, Detroit, lightweights (8); at Los Angeles, Al Tribuani, Wilmington, Del., vs. Jimmy McDaniels, Los Angeles, welterweights (10); at Portland, Me., Charles Babcock, Portland, vs. Waddell Washington, Springfield, Mass., middleweights (10).

Wednesday—at Oakland, Turkey Thompson, Los Angeles, vs. Bob Smith, New York, heavyweights (10) and Charley Burley, Pittsburgh, vs. Harvey Massey, New York, middleweights (10); at Elizabeth, N. J., Joe Burlick, Hempstead, N. Y., vs. Phil Norman, Detroit, welterweights (6); at Jacksonville, Fla., Buddy Scott, Dallas, vs. Jim Bowden, Jacksonville, heavyweights (10).

Feature Bouts Friday

Thursday — At Boston, Sammy Fuller, Boston vs. Joe Torres, New York, welterweights (10); at Philadelphia, Wally Sears, Minersville, Pa., vs. Tommy Clark, Philadelphia, lightweights (8); at Tampa, Fla., Tommy Gomez, United States Army, vs. Claudio Villar, Madrid, Spain, heavyweights (10).

Friday—at New York, Beau Jack, Augusta, Ga., vs. Fritzie Zivic, Pittsburgh, welterweights (10); at Detroit, Ray Robinson, New York vs. Jake La Motta, New York, middleweights (10); at Philadelphia, Mayon Padlo, Philadelphia, vs. Young Kid Robinson, Des Moines, welterweights (8), and Nick Fiorento, Philadelphia, vs. Willie Thomas, Atlantic City, heavyweights (8); at Boston, Johnny Seman, Quincy, Mass., vs. Henry Chmielwski, Cambridge, Mass., Middleweights (10).

Keyser High Quint Tops Ridgeley, 31-21

KEYSER, W. Va., Jan. 31 — Keyser High's Golden Tornado passers, with reserves seeing almost as much service as the regulars, defeated the Ridgeley High Blackhawks, 31-21, in a basketball game here last night.

The Tornado was on top 4-2 at the quarter, 13-6 at the half and 25-14 at the end of the third heat. Bob Dye, a Tornado reserve, and Bill Thompson, of Ridgeley, shared scoring honors with nine points apiece.

Game Aids Meat Shortage

Housewives who fret over the rising price of meat should have attended an auction held by the Montana Fish and Game Commission recently. Two bears, a yearling and two-year-old, dressed and ready to be cut into steaks, went for an average of 3.7 cents a pound.

Big Wind Zivic Hits Manhattan For Jack Battle

Toll on Ear Drums Is Terrific; Confident of Victory

By SID FEDER

NEW YORK, Jan. 31—(AP)—Weather report (passed by censor): The big wind hit today, and the toll on ear drums was terrific.

You probably don't have to be introduced to the big wind. It could only be Fritzie Zivic. Along Bash boulevard it is said any ordinary wind has to be slightly better than a gale even to get a mild zephyr in edgewise, when fast-talking Fritzie turns loose his lungpower.

It isn't that the last of the five-flying Zivics talks loud; but he talks lots. A conversation with him is considered a snappy dialogue, if you're able to get as much as a cough into the chatter. He bounces around from subject to subject like playing jacks with dynamite caps.

Anyway, he blew into town from Pittsburgh for his "catch-weight" fight with Beau Jack in Madison Square Garden Friday night, and began to give out with such data as the fact he's just been hired as a nightclub master of ceremonies; he wears a 7⅞ hat but isn't swell-headed, and he'll knock Jack into somebody's lap, all in one breath. Someone decided it would be a good idea to take stenographic notes, and this is it.

Fritzie Takes Over

Take it from there, Fritzie (with punctuation by courtesy of the editor):

"Hey, you should see my new act. I'm going to be an M.C. at at Pittsburgh night club—$300 a week. Can you imagine? One report said I'd get five 'C's,' but it's gonna be three—and that ain't coal dust.

"How's the ticket sale? Say, I'll take good care of that Beau Jack. I seen him fight some preliminary kid once and he had a tough time. So, how good can he be? I'll boff him.

"Hey, wait'll you see my new act. No singin', no dancin', but it's hot. It'll burn up Pittsburgh. Been rehearsin' five weeks. Can you imagine paying $300 a week for an M.C.?

"How do you like my new coat? My wife bought it. I never paid more than $30 for an overcoat in my life and she went out and paid a hundred. Wasn't stuck, either. This is a new hat, too. Seven and five-eighths, but don't think I got a big head the way you mean it.

Expects 163 More Fights

"Say, I brought my little kid Charley to New York with me. Got him up in the hotel room with me. He says, 'go ahead out, Daddy; I'll be all right.' Can you imagine—only three years old. He goes to bed 12 o'clock every night, but he sleeps late. My wife's got the other two in Pittsburgh—Fritzie, Jr., and Janice Mitzy. That's female for Fritzie. Good, hey?

"Say, I forgot to tell you. In my new act, I don't steal nothin' from nobody. It's all new. It's great.

"Hey, y'know I've had 163 fights so far and I expect to have another 163 before I quit. I won't be 30 years old till May. I'll lick Beau Jack like notin'. How's the ticket sale? Beau Jack thinks he's pretty good, don't he. So'm I. Say, D'ya think I talk too much? . . ."

Are you kidding, Fritzie?

Vivian Walsh Posts High Average of 139 In Ladies' City Loop

Mrs. Vivian Walsh, ace of the champion Silver Lanes outfit, topped City Ladies' Bowling League pinsters for the first half race with an average of 139 for the full slate of forty-five games.

A teammate, Mrs. Elsie Morton McKee, was the runnerup with an average of 137 for twenty-seven games. Mrs. Sarah Cioni, of the SS. Peter and Paul team, was third with 125 for forty-five games.

Helen Martin, of Club Recreation, posted the top set score of 529 and Mrs. Walsh had high game of 231. The Club outfit bagged first half game and set team honors with 767 and 2,087.

Cavaliers' Leader

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., (AP) — Charles Cooper, 190-pound center and guard from Bluefield, Va., has been named captain of the University of Virginia football team for 1943. He succeeds Billy Hill, an end from Richmond, Va.

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Johnny Beazley Weds Nashville, Tenn., Girl

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Jan. 31 (AP)—Johnny Beazley, St. Louis Cardinals' pitcher in training here for an army commission, and Miss Carolyn Frey of Nashville, Tenn., were married last night in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Beazley and Miss Frey, with several friends, drove to Fort Lauderdale where Judge Boyd H. Anderson performed the ceremony.

The party returned to Miami Beach and Beazley reported for duty today.

The bride's family lives at Springfield, Tenn. Beazley is in training at the army air force technical training command.

Ten Games Face State's Cagers

Old Liners Play Virginia Thursday and Army Saturday

[By The Associated Press]

Ten basketball games bearing on Maryland state and Mason-Dixon Conference races and the usual variety of other sports are on schedule for Maryland collegiate athletic fans this week.

The program includes:

Monday—Basketball: (X) Western Maryland vs. Catholic at Washington.

Wednesday—Basketball: Navy vs. Penn at Annapolis; (x) Washington vs. Catholic U. at Washington.

Thursday—Basketball: Maryland vs. Virginia at Charlottesville.

Friday — Basketball: Western Maryland vs. Gettysburg at Westminster.

Saturday—Basketball: (X) Washington vs. Loyola at Baltimore; Navy vs. Penn State at Annapolis; (x) Western Maryland vs. Delaware at Newark; Maryland vs. Army at West Point; (x) American U. vs. Randolph-Macon at Washington.

Boxing: Maryland vs. Lock Haven Teachers at College Park; Western Maryland vs. Indiana, (Pa.) Teachers at Westminster.

Swimming: Navy vs. Princeton at Annapolis.

Rifle: Navy vs. Yale at Annapolis.

Wrestling: Navy vs. Ohio State at Annapolis.

Fencing: Navy vs. Penn State at Annapolis.

(X)—Denotes Mason-Dixon Conference game.

Liberal Athletic Awards Suggested by Coach

ABILENE, Tex., Jan. 31 (AP)—Colleges shouldn't be strict with their athletic awards this year, thinks Jim Conger, coach of McMurry.

"I know how happy I was to get my first letter," he said, "and realizing that many of our boys in all likelihood never will have another opportunity to play college football, I decided to be liberal with the post-season honors."

So Conger passed out twenty-nine letters.

"Actually, many of the number, who didn't play so often as some of the others, contributed just as much by working hard all season and standing behind the men behind the guns," he explained.

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Tamulis Believes Cards Can Repeat

Ex-Major League Hurler Hopes To Resume Diamond Career

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 31 (AP)—Vito Tamulus, former major league hurler who traded his baseball uniform for the army khaki some time ago, doesn't think the war will prevent the major leagues from finishing their schedule this year, and more than that, he likes the chances of the St. Louis Cardinals repeating.

"Sure they'll play baseball this year," said Vito in between the potatoes he was peeling while on KP duty at Drew field.

"It should be an interesting race."

"If the Cardinals haven't been too hard hit by loss to the services," said Tamulis, "they'll win again."

Tamulis hurled for the New York Yankees in 1934 and 1935 and after a couple of seasons with Newark in the International League he went back to the majors with the St. Louis Browns. He joined Brooklyn in 1938 where he stayed until 1941 when he joined the Philadelphia Phils. He played with Nashville of the Southern Association before going into the army.

Tamulis doesn't like spring training in the North and says the players can't get into proper shape in cold weather.

The veteran hurler hopes to resume his pitching career after the war, but with a minor league team. He'll play while in the army here with the Drew field team which also includes Sgt. Fred Swindells, former Washington Senators hurler and Corp. Carolos Moore, property of the Cincinnati Reds. More and Swindells hurled for Drew field last season.

Jockey Under Knife

Jockey Maurice (Moose) Peters is resting comfortably at the Touro infirmary in New Orleans, following an operation. He will be out of the saddle for at least a month.

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Congressmen Shoot At a Good Mark

RECENT SPEECHES by leaders of both parties have clearly indicated that this Congress is determined to recover some of the prestige and authority which were so recklessly cast away in the early days of the New Deal. The leaders have declared war on the making of laws by department and bureau chiefs.

It was Congress which empowered the bureaucrats to utter regulations having the force of law and, as has been noted in a number of supreme court decisions, Congress alone can withdraw those powers.

If the session holds true to its declared purposes, it will not only correct its own mistakes, but in so doing will try to earn the respect and esteem of the people. After all, Congress is the voice of the people in Washington.

The House in particular reflects the views of the people as expressed less than three months ago. It holds a direct mandate that was laid upon it after nearly a year of American fighting in a war to preserve the liberties that are guaranteed in the constitution, liberties which during the last decade have been so arrogantly and needlessly infringed and flouted.

There is no disposition in Congress to go to extremes in putting the executive and judicial branches in their places. The plan is to set them where they belong under the constitution and to make no attempt to invade their jurisdictions.

The restraints inherent in the three-branch, or tripartite, plan work almost automatically when each holds to its constitutional course. That is all that the people ask. It calls for liberation from government by appointed petty tyrants and return to government by law. That is also the best way to win the utmost in war effort from the people.

The Impending War in the Air

AMERICAN SUPPLIES AND MEN are constantly pouring into North Africa and the British are adding what reserves they can (especially surface warships and submarines) to the Eisenhower command. After the land war is over, the air-sea war of the Mediterranean will commence.

Every point in Italy, Greece and the Mediterranean islands will be within range of American B-24's and Flying Fortresses. Moreover, Austria, Rumania and other Balkan countries will be vulnerable. What the American air force can not bomb from North Africa, the RAF can handle from Egypt and the Near East, or Russia can attack.

The great town-blasting night raids will continue to come from England, where there are constantly replenished bomber groups and ammunition factories. The assignment of the African bombers will be to knock out key industries, ship concentrations and enemy warships.

Thus the Italian fleet, bombed months ago at Taranto and more recently at Naples, is doomed. So are Italian factories and, in time, the Rumanian oil fields. The Germans know this, and they are abandoning Italy to its fate as a temporary barricade against the American-British southern front.

The raids will be constant but scattered. Germany can not possibly build and man enough anti-aircraft guns to stop this new attack. Refueling fields are being built at intervals of 100 miles throughout North Africa, Egypt and Libya. Main bases are being constructed at the several well-protected harbors along the south shore of the Mediterranean.

These bases can be supplied with relative ease as Allied mastery of the Mediterranean grows more predominant. The direct route from the United States or England to any Mediterranean point is 8,000 miles shorter than around the Cape of Good Hope. Plans are also being made to supply Russia through the Mediterranean.

The Germans, moreover, have yet to feel the full power of the United States.

Some New Things Are Due in the Kitchen

IT WAS DE QUINCEY who told his chef to serve him "heads, hearts, lights and tripe more frequently, of which you know I am very fond."

Experts declare that these neglected and nourishing portions were once considered royal fare. Of late years they have been bought by restaurants but rarely by housewives. Ignorance, it is now declared, is at the bottom of the failure of the average cook to practice economy and good eating at the same time.

Now, with a scarcity of meat, a little attention paid these lowly organs will return good dividends in enjoyment and nourishment. For the family meal the beef heart is the best buy because it supplies the greatest quantity.

A mutton or lamb's heart makes a generous serving for one person. A calf's heart will serve two people adequately. For filling there is a choice of chicken livers, bacon, mushrooms or meat sausage with plenty of seasoning.

Tripe has a peculiar reputation. It is found at the bottom and at the top of the social ladder, but not in between. Restaurants have become famous for their methods of cooking and serving tripe. Poor families have always considered it a mainstay. But the everyday cook in a middle-class household knows it not.

Liver is an old stand-by in the American home, although beef and lamb livers are looked down upon by the liver of the calf, which has been elevated to a special position in the food world. The lowlier livers can also be made appetizing.

It's now or never for De Quincey's heads, hearts, lights and tripe in the American kitchen. In days after the war when rationing will be a half-forgotten memory, there may be plenty of chops, steaks and roasts to dull the imagination of the cooks of the nation.

Now is obviously the time to take a new grip on the cook book and a good look at some of those neglected delicacies which may become wartime favorites of the American table.

Another Change In Daylight Saving?

REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAM C. COLE, of Missouri, has introduced a bill repealing daylight saving wartime and, as he puts it, returning to "God's time." The measure would turn back the clocks of the nation one hour.

Cole said that the war time had been given a year's trial and had caused "untold hardships" and had proved no contribution to the war effort.

The representative is probably right about that so far as the winter season is concerned. Experience seems to have pretty well established the fact that no daylight is saved in this season and that the electric and like bills have been unduly increased without serving any useful purpose.

But, daylight saving is good enough for the longer days of the year. The real mischief of the old system of daylight saving was that it was permitted in spots and caused no end of confusion and waste. If the wartime schedule is to be changed, it should preserve the summer gain but by all means have the scheme uniform on a national scale. A repealer in entirety would merely restore the old confusion.

The Browser's Bookshelf

By MARSHALL MASLIN

About twenty miles north of Henderson Field on Guadalcanal is the much smaller island of Tulagi. There were 450 Japs on that island, strongly dug into ravines and caves. On the morning of August 12, our marine Raiders under Colonel Merritt Edson assaulted and took that island. Colonel Edson told Richard Tregaskis (you can read all about it in Tregaskis's "Guadalcanal Diary": Random House) that at the end of two days fighting 400 of the Japanese were dead.

Marshall Maslin

Not a single Nip gave up and there was only one prisoner who had been dazed by a mortar burst. In one cave three Japs were cornered. They had but one pistol and they fired it until they had but three shots left. Then one Jap shot the two others and killed himself.

Colonel Edson said that at least forty or fifty congressional medals should have been awarded to his tough, brave men. For example, Gunnery Sgt. Angus Goss. The Japs in one cave wouldn't come out. Sgt. Goss tossed in hand grenades, which the Japs picked up and threw back. Then he tried holding the grenade for three seconds before throwing them in; but the Japs threw them back. Then he tossed TNT inside, but the Japs managed to shove it outside where it exploded and drove splinters into Goss's leg. That made him mad so he "went into the cave firing full tilt with his submachine gun, and killed the four Japs who remained alive."

Men like that landed on Guadalcanal on August 7 and today—nearly six months later—are still there. They are so tough and so brave that their officers praised them constantly to Tregaskis. One of these officers, Major Ken Bailey, a hero of Tulagi, said to Tregaskis: "You get to know these kids so well when you're working with 'em and they're such swell kids that when it comes to a job that's pretty rugged, you'd rather go yourself than send them." (Major Bailey was killed three days later during a patrol action.)

Those quotations from "Guadalcanal Diary" must constitute the Browser's review of the book. Tregaskis, himself a brave man, has told in simple language the story of what brave men have done on Guadalcanal. It is a great book that can stand alone without any pats on the back from the Browser.

Frederick Hazlitt Brennan's "Memo ot a Firing Squad" (Knopf) is a much more violent book. It is fiction written around the activities of Nazis, Fascists, Frenchmen, Englishmen, Americans, patriots, double-crossers and scum in Lisbon, Portugal, which is the crossroads of the world today.

Men die with knives in their backs, they die with broken backbones; they are shot, drowned, beaten to death with cobblestones. They die nobly and they die like slaughtered animals. It is a wild, swift, and exciting tale of what an American newspaperman saw and did in the period just before Pearl Harbor. Very interesting characters, too. A Polish girl named Karen. A French chef named Jules who is unforgettable drawn. His beautiful wife, Reba, whose beauty confounds the Nazi theories of "purity of race." A phony character named Phinnerty, whose ghoulish activities are stopped with a bullet in his belly. A corrupt Portuguese police official who can always be trusted because one knows he is purchasable. And finally the American McGibbs, who comes home at last with a great story in his pocket. Too much violence but you can't say it isn't readable.

And George Harmon Coxe comes up with another nearly perfect "whodunit" in "Alias the Dead" (Knopf), about a young man who substituted as a rich man's dead son and found himself in the middle of a murder case. It's a thriller and it is tied neatly together at the end in a surprise trapping of a man the Browser never suspected. It fooled Marsh Maslin.

THE BROWSER.

Business Group Seeks To Avert Post-War Slump

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Columnist

Business is apprehensive of some sort of socialization of itself after the war if times are hard. Its leaders naturally want to remain independent, and are doing their best with a program to prevent the pinch that they fear upon peacetime's return. Not that they are not desperately anxious to have it come—of course with victory for the United Nations. However, they are quite outspokenly fearful that it will alter our whole industrial, commercial and economic life. Hence the recent organization of a privately-financed group to have all its plans made for dealing with the situation, however it may develop.

I would think its members would know in advance just how it will develop, left to itself, exactly as after all previous wars, back into ancient history — a hectic little boom and then a prolonged depression. And, undoubtedly, that's what the worried moguls do anticipate.

Preventive Policy Sought

This outfit's mission is less to ascertain what will happen as to hit on a policy that will keep it from happening, all natural law to the contrary notwithstanding. For it to have an alphabetic designation is imperative in the present era, so it's known as the CED, which translates into the Committee for Economic Development.

As previously remarked, it is strictly non-official. To be sure, Uncle Sam has provided it with quarters under the Commerce department's roof. It will co-operate with the department's experts, though trying to be more expert than they are. My personal hunch is that little love is lost between the CED and the CD (Commerce department). It behooves the department to be on friendly terms with such a bunch as CED. Contrariwise, it adds to the CED's prestige to lodge in the same quarters with a federal department.

Suspicious of New Deal

Incidentally, I think that CED's officialdom likes to be in close touch with the department for purposes of observation. CED, mind you, is suspicious of socialistic tendencies on the New Dealers' part, and the association gives the former an opportunity for close observation of the latter's activities. The relationship is called "co-operation," though.

But later? Probably that's what it is while the war lasts. President Paul G. Hoffman of the Studebaker corporation, is CED's chairman. There is a research committee, assigned to rake over a wide field of taxation and monetary policy.

The management refers to itself as a would-be "pool" of ideas. It does not profess to have them all evolved preliminarily. Anybody with a few good drops of ideas to offer will be invited to pour them into the common mixture.

It is a case in which capital is most wishful for labor's help. It will be in capital's interest, certainly, but CED's thesis is that it will be equally to the interest of labor. But will it work? Since it never was tried out before, nobody knows.

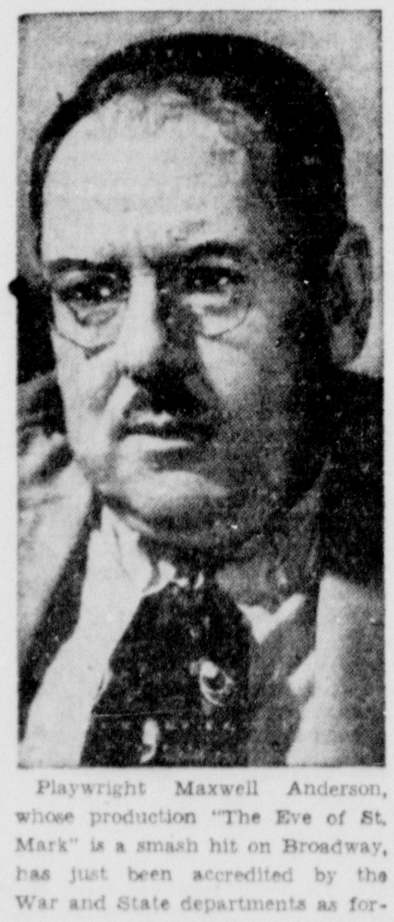
Work Guarantee Sought

Anyway, it is a case in which employerdom is trying to guarantee employment to workers, more distinctly for employerdom's benefit than for labor's.

It goes without saying that the demand for peacetime goods will be enormous with war's end. The problem is though, will peacetime consumers be able to pay for what they require? That is the question CED is trying to arrive at with a satisfactory economic answer achieved in advance of the emergency.

If it is not answered satisfactorily, what CED is afraid of is that the government will socialize us. And "business" doesn't fancy the notion of being socialized for the common benefit. It wants to make money. In hating the prospect of hard times it is sincere all right—from its own standpoint. But can it get away with it?

NAMED TO WAR POST



Playwright Maxwell Anderson, whose production "The Eve of St. Mark" is a smash hit on Broadway, has just been accredited by the War and State departments as foreign correspondent for the National Theatre Conference. He will travel to army camps and battlefronts to gather material for plays.

WINDOW SHOPPING

Hope for Small Business Seen

From the Connellsville, Pa., Courier

Pressure on the powers in Washington to attempt some measure of relief from the threat of extinction of small business and industry may be producing results. A new government effort to save small factories by cutting their owners in for a share of war spending is under way. The movement follows ouster of Lou E. Holland as chairman of the Smaller War Plants Corporation and his replacement by Col. Robert Johnson of the army ordnance department.

Holland is credited with having done "an excellent job" in organizing the small plants unit, but there, it is charged, the work lagged. He failed to "follow through." In other words he had no aggressive program to implement his organization. However, he will remain as advisor to the new director.

Since ninety per cent of the Nation's business and industrial activity is handled by the little fellows, it is high time something was done to prevent their being forced out by the war program which has been taking care only of big business. So far as preparation for war itself the latter is laudable, but when it comes to menacing the other 90 per cent that's a horse of another color.

There is hope Col. Johnson will be able to save the day. A few slices of the hundred billion war melon will work wonders.

Bootstrap Economics

From the New York Herald Tribune

Miss Perkins, the secretary of Labor, has supplied us with a brief preliminary glimpse of the administration's version of a Beveridge plan, which she declares will shortly be unveiled. Until it is visible in all its glory one canno make detailed comment; but the preview is at least enough to show how little it actually has in common with Sir William's thoughtful creation.

The aim of the British proposals is specific. It is to eliminate that hard core of want which persists, because of the various economic hazards of life, even in the midst of a general prosperity. To that end, its flat rates of benefit and contribution, its related provisions for children's allowances, its indefinite term for benefit payments and other features are all calculated on the basis of maintaining a minimum adequate subsistence and no more.

The administration plan, as Miss Perkins describes it, makes no such concentrated attack on a clearly conceived problem. While greatly expanding coverage and benefits, it would continue our present system of basing both contributions and payments on a sliding scale proportionate to normal earnings, which, whatever it may do, is not an attack on want. Neither is a plan which would increase the benefit rates at the cost of retaining limits, as at present, on the term through which they may be paid.

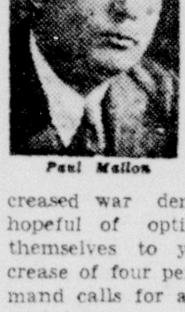
The authors of the plan seem still to be unduly influenced by the "insurance" concept, and Miss Perkins, when she introduces it as a proposal for "postponed spending," seems even more unduly influenced by the old but very dubious notion that social security can be made a cushion against mass unemployment and depression.

This notion has been belied by experience and is one which Sir William emphatically rejected. Instead of social security being a charm against unemployment, it is necessary to provide against mass unemployment in order to make possible a rational social-security system. The Administration plan is, of course, entitled to the fullest hearing on its merits when it is made public, but this hint of bootstrap economics in its first announcement is not wholly reassuring

Food Supply Problem Becomes Serious And Three Remedial Things Are Noted

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31—The happy notion that we might feed all the world after this war has slipped away fast as it has become apparent we cannot even feed ourselves and Allies well during it.


Paul Mallon

With spring planting only a few weeks off, some agricultural officials are conceding that less food may be produced this year than last, to meet the greatly increased war demand. The most hopeful of optimists only allow themselves to yearn for an increase of four percent, whereas demand calls for a fifty or 100 percent increase or more.

Our industrial output has been expanded 350 percent over last year and will jump nearly two-thirds as much again this year, but the food production is running along just about the same—and the extraordinary part of it is no one is even proposing expansion to meet the situation.

Food Administrator Wickard and Manpowerer McNutt are pecking away at the problem here and there with soy bean bonuses, and the rationers are getting ready to impose a radical point system to divide our food scarcity but the idea of crashing through the obstacles and really raising enough for Americans, British, Algerians, Russians and others apparently has not occurred to anyone.

Three Things Wrong

A farmer friend of mine, who is also a good business man, has devoted some thought to the condition and has reached the conclusion that three things are wrong—three basic things which could be met if sufficiently energy and intelligence were applied to them.

The first, he said, is fear, the fear among the farmers, and he thinks this fear is going to make production this year a lot less than the Washington bureaucrats concluded with their little pens and pencils.

The farmer fears to plant primarily because he has no prospect of getting enough help to harvest. He will trim his crop planting to what he can safely handle unless he gets some formidable assurance from the government that greater planting is possible.

A number of solutions have been offered on this phase—the importation of Bahamans to the southern vegetable and fruit areas and cotton fields, Mexicans to the Middle-west, and even Chinese to the Pacific coast—but no one has done anything about it, or offered any promise.

Dubious Assistance

Temporary release of some men from the army or non-essential industry or schools to help in planting or harvesting is possible, but so far the only hope offered the farmer has been the decision of the draft boards not to take much more of his help—and talk, only talk from McNutt about amassing a "land tilling army of civilians" who would probably ruin more acreage than they harvest.

The production of pigs and poultry could have been quadrupled in this country if anyone had the sense, immediately after Pearl Harbor, to institute government sponsorship of such a movement, but officials then all were saying we would have enough food because we had great stores of surplus wheat.

Pigs and poultry could even now be doubled except for fear. The farmer must pay a high price for feeder hogs and premium prices for feed for chickens, and the margins ordained by the government are so short that if a few die he cannot make any money.

Factors Involve Fear

Far better it is for him individually—no matter how disastrous it is to the country—to tighten in his production range to what he needs for himself and can hande safely in addition. This is the second correctable thing wrong.

Fear of his farm machinery and repairs and the gasoline rationing restrictions is the third factor working toward curtailment. His situation on trucks, tractors and tires urge him not to and, in fact, prevent him from doubling or tripling his production as the national situation requires.

Unless someone takes hold of this situation like Jeffers took hold of the similar confusion on synthetic rubber — and he did take hold of it and dispel it—food production may decline to such an extent as to startle the bureau boys.

Regimented economy seems to have failed again. It worked all right on the way down, when it was distributing largesse. But it has failed completely when the problem is to get production up.

Jeffers Does Well

The incident of Mr. Jeffers's saying what he though about "loafers at army and navy desks" shocked officialdom and has been getting Mr. Jeffers some bad publicity. Apparently, the government is trying opening to maintain the principle that no official should say what he thinks without getting it approved —an idea which has its merits.

But behind this controversy lies the fact that Mr. Jeffers has done well with the synthetic rubber program. For fifty-five percent of his program, he has been given "directives" (above priorities) to obtain materials.

It is only on the other forty-five percent that the "army-navy expeditors" have stolen some of his materials. This theft will delay his program by a few months, but not prevent its fulfillment.

The passenger tire situation looks fairly good. The bureaucrats thought we only had 8,000,000 new tires in storage, but apparently we had 10,000,000 and will get 6,000,000 used tires from the recent turn-ins. Of the 12,000,000 tires turned in, nearly half are suitable for retreading. Farm truck and commercial tire users, however, will have troubles.

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Morning Motto

Reason misleads us oftener than nature.—VAUVENARGUES.

Anti-Racketeering Bill May Not Pass, Lawrence Says

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. — The bill proposed by Representative Hobbs, of Alabama, Democrat, to stop racketeering and violence whether in connection with labor disputes or any other kind of coercion brings up a cardinal principle that the Congress now has evaded for seven years.

David Lawrence

It is whether under the guise of collective bargaining strong-arm methods can be used to force a citizen to join a union and whether violence can be applied to prevent employers from receiving shipments of goods unless they pay tribute to a labor union.

The whole subject of violence as an instrumentality of collective bargaining will be up for Congress to pass upon sooner or later and the chances are that in the final analysis nothing will be done about it. For while the House of Representatives may pass the measure, there are enough rubber-stamp votes in the Senate either to keep such a bill in committee so it will not be voted upon or enough votes to amend it so as to weaken its force.

Amendment Need Seen

The so-called anti-racketeering statute was passed in 1934 and was designed to stop the vicious practices of certain gangsters who had gotten possession of a few labor unions. The law specifically said that it could not be utilized to curtail the right to strike, and when the Supreme Court of the United States interpreted the statute in such a way as apparently to sanction violence as a means of getting certain anvantages for a labor union the need for amendment was realized.

The national labor union leaders will, of course, fight the proposed legislation to their utmost. They will insist that it is just a means of reaching indirectly into lawful and legitimate strike activities. They will insist that the relatively small amount of racketeering can be taken care of by state laws.

Beyond Reach

Actually, however, ever since the Lindbergh kidnapping law was passed, it has been clear that conspiracies that are begun across state lines cannot be reached by the authorities of the states in which the conspiracies are consummated. Labor politicians have insisted that the police power should remain in the states, however, and that is the principal ground on which they fought the inclusion in the original Wagner Labor Relations law of a phrase that would prohibit "coercion from any source" either when emanating from employees or the employer.

The states, on the other hand, have been slow to intervene in labor disputes and the labor unions have further entrenched themselves not only behind the federal anti-injunction law known as the La Guardia-Norris act but behind a couple dozen of similar statutes passed by the states and modeled after the federal law.

Immunized by Court

It is true that the use of the injunction to break lawful strikes constituted an abuse that led up to the passage of the La Guardia-Norris law, but the Supreme Court of the United States under the domination of New Deal justices has so interpreted the law as practically to immunize any union or group of employees from doing anything they please to interrupt and restrain interstate commerce.

The advice given by a supreme court opinion a few years ago that the remedy for unwise legislation was not in the courts but at the ballot box was theoretically correct, but there seems to be no remedy against the rendering of legislative opinions by members of the judiciary so that statutes plainly conceived to reach a certain objective must be rewritten and specific words included if indeed this is at all possible in a Congress dominated by fear of labor union reprisals at the polls.

Congressmen Hesitant

The southern Democrats and those Republicans who come from districts where the labor vote is relatively small seem to be willing to form a majority to pass legislation curbing the extremes of labor unions. But the congressmen from the big cities, both Republicans and Democrats, and the senators from states with large union votes are hesitant.

The struggle against the use of violence in the "collective bargaining" process has been going on for several years but it may well be wondered why Congress is being asked to act when the several states seem to have been ignoring the use of violence in labor disputes right along.

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Factographs

New Jersey has established a five-day week for all state employes to aid in conserving heat, light, power, gasoline and rubber. There will be no reduction in hours worked or volume of work, reports to the Civil Service Assembly say.

Francisco Villa, Mexican bandit, was assassinated July 26, 1923. The act was attributed to the revenge of a family some of whose members he had killed

Frostburg Area Draftees Will Report for Duty

Forty-Seven Registrants Will Leave Tomorrow for Fort Meade

FROSTBURG, Jan. 31 — Forty-seven registrants from Draft Board 4, who previously passed their final physical examination, will leave here Tuesday, February 2, to report for active duty at Fort George G. Meade.

Westernport, represented by twelve selectees, will send the largest delegation in the group, with Frostburg and Lonaconing both sending nine men.

Those comprising the group, which completes the January quota from the local draft board, are: Charles L. Kalbaugh, Frank E. Bartlett, Alvin C. Fazenbaker, Leo W. Ryan, Ernest E. Matthews, John J. Dick, Charles F. Paskum, Perry A. Duckworth, John E. Fazenbaker, Collin L. Reeves, Ira E. Ryan and Raymond R. Ahern, Westernport.

John J. Smouse, John P. Moody, John E. Wampler, James A. Reidler, Paul E. Barry, Richard K. Thomas, George H. Powell, John M. Alexander, Jr., and Arthur J. McKee, Frostburg.

Claude Steele, Virgil C. Greene, Ellen L. Hendra, James Boyd, William G. O'Rourke, John W. Klipstein, Michael A. O'Rourke, Raymond G. Eichhorn and Harry A. Johnston, Lonaconing.

Raymond W. Fannon, Ernest P. Smith, George L. Knieriem and Edward G. Ferrell, Mt. Savage.

Clarence Hamilton, Zihlman; Harry W. Ravenscroft, Luke; Marshall S. Klosterman, Eckhart; James R. Starkey, Eckhart; Charles L. Dye, Barton; Leroy J. Jones, Midland; William E. Mills, Midland; William D Brown, Nikep; William Alexander, Baltimore; Clayton H. Williams, Zihlman; John F. Bond, Gilmore; Donald M. Winters, Carlos, and Clarence A. Winters, Cresaptown.

Seven additional registrants will leave from Draft Board 4, Wednesday, February 3, to report to Fort George G. Meade for active duty. They are Raymond F. Dress, Frostburg; Herman J. Crowe, Zihlman; Robert Shugars, Westernport; Irvin L. Walters, Frostburg; Earl E. Bishop, Westernport; Floyd A. Meyers, Eckhart and Lawrence F. Smith, Frostburg.

Mrs. Wilson Dies

Mrs. Elizabeth Fuller Wilson, 76, widow of James Wilson, died Saturday afternoon at her home, 7 Ormond street, after a lingering illness. She was a member of First Methodist church, the Van Dyke Bible class, and a charter member of Mountain Chapter, No. 15, Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by two children, Miss Catherine Wilson and William Wilson, one brother, Harry Fuller, Sr., and two grandchildren, all of Frostburg. The body is at the home.

George Hayes Succumbs

George M. (Clement) Hayes, 79, died Saturday evening at his home, 15 America avenue, where he had been ill for the past three years. He is survived by his widow, the former Miss Amelia Sonnenburg, four children, Miss Lilly and Charles Hayes, at home; Oscar Hayes, Earlhan, Iowa; Charles Hayes, Coatesville, Pa., and a sister, Mrs. Christopher Entler, Zihlman.

Mr. Hayes was a mine worker and was affiliated with St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Sportsmen To Meet

The Allegany-Garrett Sportsmen's Association will hold its monthly meeting Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, at the Gunter hotel. Following the business meeting a fish luncheon with other refreshments will be served. The attendance of all members is urged to hear a discussion of legislation on game and fish now pending at Annapolis.

Announce Birth

Pvt. and Mrs. John Drummond, 158 McCulloh street, announce the birth of a daughter Friday evening at Miners hospital. Mrs. Drummond is the former Miss Betty Walker. Pvt. Drummond is stationed at Rome, N. Y.

Mrs. Pontuso Dies

Mrs. Michelina Pontuso, 61, widow of Michael Pontuso, former Frostburg barber, died Sunday, 7 a. m., at her home, 126 West Loo street, where she had been ill for several months.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Emma DePilato, New York; Mrs. Lena Pace, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Joseph Catania, at home; three sons, George, Pittsburgh; Frank, U. S. Navy, Seattle, Wash.; and Vincent, at home; a sister, Mrs. Mary DeLuca, Salt Lake City; and brother, Joseph Grisolio, also of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mrs. Pontuso was a member of St. Michael's Catholic church.

Frostburg Personals

Mrs. Winfred Fair, the former Miss Margaret LaVelle, who was married last Wednesday, returned from Baltimore where her husband was inducted into the U. S. Air Corps and assigned to the air corps base at Miami, Florida. Mrs. Fair will reside with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William LaVelle, for the duration.

Lieut. and Mrs. Paul Henry Wagner, Camp Lee, Va., arrived here Saturday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Wagner, Washington street. Lieut. Wagner, who was commissioned in the Quartermaster Corps, Friday, is on a ten-day furlough. He enlisted in the army April 23, 1941.

Allan Lewis, Zihlman, received word last week that his son, John C. Lewis, who is in Australia attached to the sixty-third bomb squadron, forty-third group., had been promoted to master sergeant. He has been in the army since October, 1939, serving first in Panama and later in Australia.

Paul Fazenbaker And Norma Lambert Married in Church

Wedding of Westernport Couple Is Performed by the Rev. W. B. Orndorff

WESTERNPORT, Jan. 31 — Miss Norma Lambert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lambert, Green's Addition, Westernport, and Paul Fazenbaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Fazenbaker, Westernport, were married at eight o'clock Friday evening at the First Baptist church, Westernport. The Rev. William B. Orndorff, pastor, performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Barnard Davison, Westernport, were the attendants.

The bride wore a powder blue two-piece dress, maroon accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds and babysbreath. Mrs. Davison, was attired in a yellow crepe dress, blue accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds and baby's breath.

Mrs. P. E. Berry, played the wedding marches and Mrs. W. B. Orndorff, sang "I Love You Truly."

Both Mr. and Mrs. Fazenbaker are employed at the Celanese plant. They will reside at the home of the bridegroom.

Course Is Planned

Announcement has been made by the Board of Education of Allegany County that John Laughlin, member of the faculty of Bruce high school, will give a course in metal work at Bruce high school as a part of the vocational War Production Training Program.

Registration will be held Monday evening from 7 to 10 p. m. at the school.

The course will consist of training in blueprint reading, shop mathematics, hack sawing, metal filing grinding, polishing, metal forming, drill press operation, lathe operation, shaper operation, milling machine operation and arc welding.

The training is offered free of charge as part of the national program to train people for employment in war production industries.

Because of the fact that women are being employed by war industries in ever increasing numbers the women of Westernport and vicinity are invited to enroll as well as men.

Boy Scouts Advance

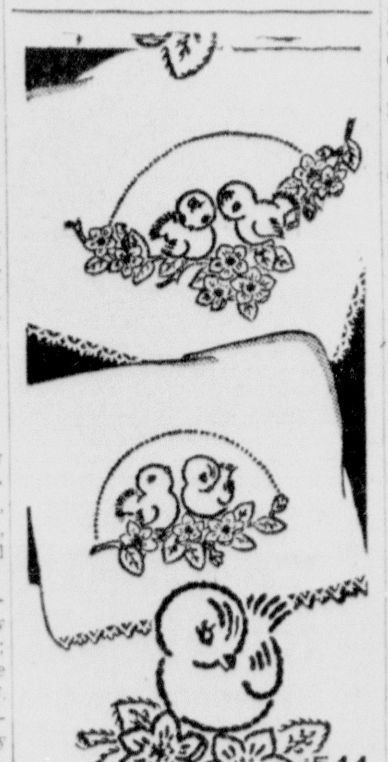
Advancement of five boys of Piedmont Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts, was approved by the Tri-Towns District Board held recently. Luther Shay was advanced to Star scout; Tracy Riggins and Donald Clise, tenderfoot; Joe Cavallaro, wood turning; James Clase, dog care, foundry practice, machinery; Luther Shay, mechanical drawing, carpentry and scholarship.

Personals

Mrs. Carr, Getty and Mrs. C. William Getty, Washington, D. C., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Getty, enroute to their home in Evansville, Ind.

Mrs. Victoria Graham, Piedmont, is suffering from a dislocated right shoulder. She was treated at the Reeves clinic yesterday.

Lovebird Motifs



Lovebirds shyly flirting on a flowery perch look delightful on shower-gift linens — and make a gay Spring touch for your own towels and tea cloths, too. You'll find them simple to do. Use a rainbow-variety of colors. Pattern 544 contains a transfer pattern of eighteen motifs ranging from 5½ x 8¾ to 2 x 3½ inches; stitches; list of materials required.

Send eleven cents in coins for this pattern to Cumberland News, Needlecraft Department, 82 Eighth Avenue, New York, N. Y. Write plainly pattern number, your name and address.

Oakland Plane Observers Sworn Into Service

Arm Bands Are Presented; Garrett County Exceeds War Bond Quota

OAKLAND, Md., Jan. 31—About half of the eighty-six volunteer spotters in the air raid warning system who keep the Oakland listening post manned twenty-four hours each day were formally sworn into service Friday night at the city hall, according to Irvin R. Rudy, chief observer.

The spotters swore to support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, to faithfully discharge the duties as a member of the ground observer corps, comply with all rules, and they also agreed to take a prescribed course of training provided it is given.

At this time Mr. Rudy also gave out arm bands to those who served as a spotter for a total of twenty-five hours. He said there were half a dozen and a number of others who were not far behind. Each individual had to put his thumb print on a card which he will receive as soon as it is checked by army officials.

The spotter station has been open twenty-four hours each day since January 17, and it is the aim of those in charge to keep it open continuously until after the duration of the war.

The volunteers who have not been sworn in will do so soon. Eight additional persons who volunteered their services have already left Oakland. Mr. Rudy pointed out that the work is voluntary and those directing the ground observer corps urged additional citizens to offer their services.

Bond Quota Exceeded

Garrett county has gone over top in sale of War Bonds for this month, H. C. Riggs, cashier of the Garrett National Bank, has been informed.

The quota was $31,000 and within three weeks the amount sold totaled $37,212.

The treasury department is concentrating on a campaign to convert 100 million war stamp albums into war bonds.

The plant of the Southern Packing company, Inc., Mountain Lake Park, has begun to show added activity for the coming 1943 pea and corn season. Three carloads of pea seed have arrived and have been unloaded and it is understood that the corn seed will arrive at a later date.

Joseph H. Welch, local manager, stated his company had ordered nominal increased quantity of pea and corn seed for planting this season for the reason that the government has served notice of their requirements on canned peas and corn as well as on canned green beans and canned tomatoes, to be in excess of such quantities as were required from the 1942 packs.

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Augustus Worth, of Elizabeth City, N. C., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Estheridge, to Richard Johnson Gonder, United States Coast Guard Reserve, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Gonder, of Oakland.

Miss Worth is a graduate of St. Mary's School, Raleigh, N. C., and received her bachelor's degree from Mary Baldwin college, Staunton, Va. She did graduate work at the University of North Carolina.

Mr. Gonder attended Duke University, West Virginia University and was graduated from the University of North Carolina with a bachelor's degree in journalism. He was city editor of a newspaper in Elizabeth City when he volunteered for service and is now an aerial photographer for the coast guard, with headquarters at Elizabeth City.

The wedding is scheduled to take place in early spring.

Announce Marriage

Miss Betty Glotfelty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Glotfelty, of McHenry, became the bride of William Sterl Bittinger, of Akron, O., formerly of Bittinger, at a ceremony performed at the home of the bride's parents last Saturday evening. Rev. J. C. Foster, United Brethren minister of Mt. Lake Park, officiated, using the ring ceremony.

Their attendants were her sister, Miss Geraldine Glotfelty, and Donald Haenftling, both of Baltimore. A reception followed at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Emma Specht, Oakland. The couple left Tuesday for Akron, where they will reside.

The bride is a graduate of Accident High school and also attended Fairmont State Teachers' college last year. She has been employed in Batlimore.

Steam engines for America's "Bridge of ships" are patterned in full-scale wooden models.

"Bellzapoppin," New Sports Game, Is Invented by Salisbury, Pa., Man

"Rip" Engle Recommends His Game as Physical Conditioner

BALTIMORE, Jan. 31. — The latest game on the wartime physical education training program is Bell Ball, invented by Charles "Rip" Engle, a native of Salisbury, Somerset county, Pa., who formerly coached football and basketball at Waynesboro, Pa., high school and Western Maryland college.

Engle, who first came into the spotlight as an athlete while a member of the Salisbury, Pa., high school basketball team, thinks that his new game will be known as "Bellzapoppin" before long.

Three Sports Combined

It is a combination of basketball, football and soccer; it can be played indoors or out and was developed by Engle at Brown university, where the one-time Western Maryland star went a year ago when Skip Stahley left Harvard university to become Brown's football coach and athletic director.

Bell ball doesn't require a lot of equipment and it is flexible as to the needed number of players, depending on the size of the field or indoor court.

The object of the game is to knock a ball off a goal post which is not located on the goal line, as might be expected, but 60 feet inside each end. This allows much play around it.

The goal post is 10 feet high and upon its top is perched a ball, held in place by a chain attached to a bell. When the ball is knocked off the perch atop the goal the bell rings. That's where the name, Bell Ball, originated. The "Bellzapoppin" tag same after many saw the things that developed in the course of a game on Brown's campus.

The game is played with an inflated, round rubber ball and the scoring of a goal is indicated by the ringing of the bell when the ball atop the goal post is knocked off, as already mentioned.

The ball can be carried as in football or passed, like in both football and basketball, and there is a certain amount of blocking, a la la crosse, as the play moves up and down the field.

Engle has copyrighted the game, has had the rules printed and sent on to Com. Tom Hamilton with the hope bell ball or bellzapoppin will be introduced as part of the required physical program at the Navy's Pre-Flight training centers.

Boy Scout Troop Will Get Charter

Mt. Savage Unit Also Will Receive Cards at Tuesday Meeting

MT. SAVAGE, Jan. 31.—The official Scout Charter will be presented to the Mt. Savage Boy Scout Troop at a meeting Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock in the recreation hall of the Methodist church. James House, scoutmaster, also has announced that each member will be presented with a scout registration card at this meeting. Members of the troop committee and fathers of the scouts will be special guests of honor. After the presentation a social will be held during which entertainment will be furnished and refreshments will be served.

Mt. Savage Briefs

The Brick and Clay Workers Local Union will meet Monday (tomorrow) evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Junior Order hall.

The Youth Fellowship organization of the Methodist church will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the recreation hall of the church.

Terra Alta Stock Yard

TERRA ALTA, W. Va., Jan. 31—Receipts of the last week were light due to bad roads, market was active and prices ruled firm.

Hogs, choice weights 15.80 to 16.15, packing sows 14.00, shoats 9.50 to 18.00 per head.

Calves, good 17.00 to 18.60, common 7.00 to 11.75.

Bulls, 13.95 to 14.00, cows, good 11.05 to 12.60, common and medium 7.50 to 9.30, milk cows 100.00 per head, steers 13.50 to 15.40, heifers 12.00 to 14.50, stockers cattle 41.00 to 61.50 per head.

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With more than four million women entering employment in war industry in 1942, substantial increases are being recorded in the purchases of ordinary life insurance by women as well as in the extension to them of the protection of group insurance.

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P-TA Will Present Patriotic Program

Meeting of Kempton Association Is Scheduled Wednesday

KEMPTON, W. Va., Jan. 31—The Kempton P.-T.A. will hold its regular monthly meeting Wednesday, February 3, at 8 p. m. A patriotic program will be given and refreshments will be served.

Kempton Personals

Laurel Likens, Morgantown, W. Va., is spending the week-end with Claude Corbin and family.

Miss Burnetta is visiting her family at Barton, Md., over the week-end.

Mrs. A. J. Watring, Mr. and Mrs. William Watring, Mrs. Alvin Lantz and Miss Jean Welch attended the funeral of the latter's father at Aurora, W. Va., on Friday. Mr. Welch was killed in a mining accident at Morgantown, W. Va., Monday, January 25.

Pvt. Andrew Kovach returned to Fort Bragg, N. C., today after spending a ten-day furlough with his parents here.

Martin Fox returned from Mill Creek, W. Va., where he visited relatives.

Yoder Rites Are Held At Bittinger Church

GRANTSVILLE, Md., Jan. 31 — Funeral services for Mark Alvin Yoder, 25, of Beallsville, Pa., were conducted Friday at the Bittinger Lutheran church with the Rev. A. C. Curran, assisted by the Rev. M. B. Miller, officiating.

Pallbearers were his six cousins, Alvin J. Yoder, Olin H. Yoder, Irvin E. Yoder, Henry E. Yoder, Alvin H. Yoder, and Evan J. Miller.

Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Ruth Dietrich and daughter Marcia Joice, two sisters and five brothers, Mrs. Enos Maust, Meyersdale, Pa.; Mrs. Simon D. Tice, Harrisonburg, Va.; Earl R., Portsmouth, Va.; Owen H., Berlin, Pa.; Alva R., Grantsville, Md.; Homer M. and Ivan M., Springs, Pa.

Those attending from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Yoder, Berlin, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Tice and daughters, Alva and Catherine, Harrisonburg, Va.; Clifford, Delbert, Ralph, and Raymond Detrich, of Beallsville, Pa.; Elmer Deitrich, West Leisenring, Pa.; Webster Deitrich, Richeyville, Pa.; Arthur, Granville, Pa.; Misses Grace and Miriam Deitrich, Cumberland.

"Sintering" is the industrial term used to describe heating just short of melting.

Pastor and Wife Given Reception At Kitzmiller

The Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Wriston Honored by Methodist Group

FRIENDSVILLE, Jan. 31.—A reception was held Thursday evening in the Methodist church in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Wriston and children. The Rev. Mr. Wriston, formerly of Kitzmiller, succeeds the Rev. R. L. Greynolds who is now serving as pastor of the Methodist church in Ridgeley, W. Va.

Mrs. Laurence Friend was in charge of the program. Mrs. Ralph Murphy and Miss Lucille Harvey directed the song service. Misses Helen Miller and Betty Speicher gave readings and Mrs. Manilla Friend a speech of welcome. The Rev. Mr. Wriston gave a short talk.

Mrs. L. L. Friend, Mrs. Iva Rush, Mrs. Aleta Murphy, Mrs. Theresa Murphy, and Miss H. Miller served on the refreshment committee. The guests of honor received many gifts.

Will Attend Wedding

Miss Betty Stemple will attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Jean Stemple, to J. Mason Bucklew, Jr., Monday, in Morgantown, W. Va. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. R. Boyd, pastor of Wesley Methodist church, Morgantown, W. Va.

The couple will reside at Lewisburg, Pa., where the bridegroom is employed by the American Rubber Company.

Entertains at Dinner

Mrs. B. Calhoun entertained at a birthday dinner in honor of her daughters, Miss Agnes Steel, Oakland, and Miss Shirley Calhoun, Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Grove.

Personals

Pvt. Owen DeWitt, Camp Crowder, Mo., has been visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Covington, Va., has returned to her home, after visiting Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Glover.

Miss Viola Broadwater visited her sister, Miss Ethel Broadwater, Grantsville, Saturday.

Mrs. Mary V. Glover is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. J. Oliver, Covington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Grove had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wandless, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hansrote, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blanch, Cumberland.

Sgt. Arnold Dixon, Langley Field, Va., has returned after visiting at his home here.

Elwood Mason, Morgantown, W. Va., was a recent guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Osbourne Mason.

Mrs. Elizabeth Williams spent the week-end at her home in Frostburg.

Lonaconing Boy Is Honored at Party

Parents of Bobby Kasecamp Entertain on His Sixth Birthday

LONACONING, Jan. 31 — Bobby Kasecamp was honored on his sixth birthday with a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kasecamp, Watercliffe street, on Saturday afternoon.

A large birthday cake served as centerpiece at the table. Favors were in patriotic hues. Attending were Ronnie Warnick, Martha Staup, Bobby Staup, Joan Abbott, Vance Albright, Jo Ann Rennie, Billie Jo Kight, Eddie Thompson, Freddie Trost, Jerry Trost, Jackie Trost, Eddie McIntyre, Randall Brown, Alex Brown, Gene Reiber, Sally Ann Kelly, Tommy Kelly, Ruth Groves, Bobby Groves, Ruth Freeman and Billy Freeman.

Extinguish Flue Fire

Goodwill Volunteer Fire company No. 1, Lonaconing, was summoned at 3:40 o'clock Saturday afternoon to extinguish a flue fire at the home of Alvin Crowe, Detmold district. No damage was reported.

Announce Births

Pvt. and Mrs. Clinton James announce the birth of a son Thursday morning at the Hodgson clinic. Mrs. James is the firmer Miss Verna Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Poland, State street, announce the birth of a child at the home last week.

Party Is Given

Marlene Hunter was honored at a party recently at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruth Hunter, in celebration of her ninth birthday. Guests were Betty Milford, Laura Louise Dilfer, Carol Thompson, Toby Huth, Joan Donaldson, Shirley Lucas, Helen Crable, Ann Green, Celeste Steiding, Marlene Trenum, Jo Ann Duckworth.

Lonaconing Briefs

The Mayor and Council will hold its monthly council meeting on Monday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Council Chamber, Railroad street.

James Park, secretary, announces that the Lonaconing Lions club will meet Monday evening in the Knights of Pythias hall, Union street.

The Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church will hold a skating party Friday, February 5, at the Crystal Park.

Miss Phyllis Beeman was hostess to the Jitterbug club at her home on Jackson street last week.

William Marley, United States Army Signal Corps, has been transferred from the Cumberland Signal Corps Radio School to Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore.

Pvt. Harry Vernon Lane has been transferred from Amarillo, Texas, to Buckingham Army Air field, Fort Myers, Fla.

Pvt. Hilary W. Brode has returned to Tucson, Arizona, after spending a ten-day furlough with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Baker and relatives.

Pvt. Vernon C. Kight has been transferred from Camp Meade to Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

Keyser Damage Suit Is Settled Out of Court

Attorney for Lloyd Richmond and B.&O. Claim Agent Reach Agreement

KEYSER, W. Va., Jan. 31—The case of Lloyd Richmond vs. Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, set for trial before the Mineral County Circuit Court on next Thursday, was settled out of court yesterday.

The case grew out of an accident that occurred on June 27, 1941 when the plaintiff, Lloyd Richmond, fell from a car in the Keyser shops of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company, while in the employ of the company. Paul Garrett, general claim agent for the railway company, and Attorney Vernon E. Rankin met yesterday and agreed upon a settlement without going to trial. The amount of damages granted to Richmond could not be learned.

In the accident Richmond suffered a broken hip which will leave him more or less permanently crippled.

Snow Cripples Traffic

The deep snow of last week which so badly crippled the pupil transportation system of the county has melted somewhat, but traffic over the rural roads remains difficult. Most of the main roads are open and it is expected that the normal run of the school buses will be resumed Monday.

Undergoes Operation

Miss Francis Streets, a Potomac State school student whose home is in Elk Garden, underwent an appendix operation in Potomac Valley hospital Friday evening. Leonard Cook of Keyser is a patient in the hospital.

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Social Events and Items of Interest for the Women

Parties Planned To Raise Funds for School Kitchen

First of Series Will Be Held Today at Home of Mrs. A. H. Smith

A busy schedule has been planned for the residents of the LaVale, Narrows Park and Allegany Grove section for February and March. Because of the transportation difficulties the large party, planned for raising funds to equip the LaVale school kitchen, has been abandoned and "Neighborhood Parties" will be held instead. Funds for the stove were raised at the party held during December at the LaVale firemen's hall.

The parties will begin in the Park Heights neighborhood with a luncheon at 1 o'clock today at the home of Mrs. H. A. Smith. Others in this section are a duplicate party at 8 o'clock, February 17 at the home of Mrs. Alvin B. Storey; and Mrs. Earl W. Conn will be hostess at her home for a contract party at 1:30 o'clock March 1.

Two parties are scheduled for the Woodlawn section at 8 o'clock February 6; a duplicate match will be held at the home of George Ward and contract will be played at the home of Mrs. H. W. Beggs.

A 500 card party will be held in the Allegany Grove section sometime the latter part of February, the exact date and place to be announced later.

Mrs. Storey and George Ward are chairmen of arrangements for the card parties, which are under the sponsorship of the Parent-Teacher Association.

The next meeting of the LaVale Parent-Teacher Association will be held at 8 o'clock February 10 at the school. A feature of the program will be an illustrated talk on the contribution of the 4-H Boys and Girls Clubs to the war effort, by Miss Margaret T. Loar, assistant home demonstration agent and Harry W. Beggs, assistant county agent. Members of the clubs will assist in the demonstration.

Pythian Sisters To Hold Meeting and Social

Manhattan Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Junior Order hall Polk street.

After the meeting there will be a social with Mrs. Helen Treat, Mrs. Emma Smith and Mrs. Elizabeth Rumbertson in charge.

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IS VISITOR HERE

Miss Kathryn Witwer

Miss Kathryn Witwer, formerly of Cumberland, nationally known radio and concert singer, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Marguerite W. Richards, 869 Gephart drive. Miss Witwer started on the road to fame in the music world by winning first prize in a singing contest conducted by the National Federation of Music Clubs at Chicago. She has appeared with the Chicago Civic Opera Company and is heard frequently on radio programs.

Father Bradley Speaks on Life Of St. Brigid

Frostburg Priest Addresses A.O.H. Auxiliary at Dinner Here

The life and home of St. Brigid was the subject of the address given by the Rev. Patrick J. Bradley, Frostburg, at the dinner held by members of the Western Maryland Division of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians yesterday afternoon at the Queen City hotel, in celebration of the feast of the saint.

Mrs. Agnes Barley presided and introduced the speaker. She was also honored by the group in recognition of her birthday which was Saturday and the entire assembly sang "Happy Birthday."

Following the dinner which was attended by members from Frostburg, Lonaconing, Mount Savage as well as Cumberland, a social hour was held, which was so greatly enjoyed that members voted to hold another in the near future.

Cumberland Unit No. 6 will hold business meeting at 7:30 o'clock February 8 in St. Patrick's Social Center.

Seven Couples Get Marriage Licenses

Domenick Nicolette and Dorothy Mitchell, Belle Vernon, Pa.

Kenneth Grant Jewell, Cumberland, Md., Mary Katherine O'Donnell, Baltimore, Md.

Claude Carney Broadwater, Cumberland, Md., Hazel Lillian Junkins, Cresaptown, Md.

Harry Melvin Liller, Laurel Dale, W. Va., Retha Adams, Keyser, W. Va.

Earl Nelson Clark and Gertrude Pearl Keith, Canton, O.

Ralph Martin Sage, Pittsburgh, Pa., Marjorie Lula Laney, Baltimore, Md.

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Youth Fellowship Patriotic Party Scheduled Feb. 26

Miss Manola Balsley Will Be Hostess to Church Group

A "Patriotic Party" will be held by members of the Youth Fellowship of the Calvary Evangelical church, at 7:30 o'clock February 26, at the home of Miss Manola Balsley, Mary street. Plans were made at the meeting of the group Friday evening at the home of Miss Mabel England, Potomac street.

The program will honor both Washington and Lincoln and will include several quiz and exhibitions of pictures. The social committee composed of Miss Balsley, chairman, Miss Bernice Cox and Mrs. A. M. Gahagan will be in charge of the program.

It was also decided that each member is to bring a contribution for a box to be sent to one of the members who is in the service. Packing a box for a service man from the Fellowship, from now on will be a feature of the monthly meetings.

Bedford Road 4-H Club Changes Meeting Date

The members of the Bedford Road 4-H Club will meet the third Thursday of the month instead of the fourth Saturday, it was decided at a meeting Friday evening at the home of Sarah Keller, Bedford road.

Doris Brant will head the club as president and the other officers include Edna Gillian, vice-president; Mary Anna Brant, secretary; Rita Ryan treasurer; Sarah Keller, parliamentarian; Ethel Gillian, program; Ethel Simons and Louise Jay, publicity; Jean Yargen, music and song leader; recreation, Gretchen Luethka; camp, Ethel Simons; community service, Hannah Golladay; garden, Gretchen Luethka, clothing, Doris Brant; home furnishing, Hilda Wilson; home management, Edna Gillian; and nutrition and health, Mary Ann Brant.

Miss Margaret T. Loar, assistant home demonstration agent for Allegany county, gave suggestions for wartime clothing.

Events in Brief

The Past Councilors Circle, Daughters of America No. 100, will hold the regular meeting at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Fae Lee Burner, 764 Maryland avenue, with Mrs. Martha Athey as co-hostess.

The meeting of the Ladies Council of the First Christian church will be held at 7:30 o'clock February 9 at the church, instead of tomorrow evening as originally scheduled.

The Ladies Aid Society of Allegany hospital will meet at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the hospital.

The County Council of Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at the West Side school with Prof. Ivan C. Diehl, Frostburg, as guest speaker. Mrs. J. Orville Fier will speak on "Founders Day."

Mrs. Beatrice Smith will be hostess to members of the YuHoodi club at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at her home, Potomac Park.

The Deaconesses of the First Baptist church will meet at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the church.

A special program of readings, movies and selections by the glee club will feature the meeting of the Pennsylvania avenue Parent-Teacher Association at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. Harry K. Poling will preside.

Miss Juanita Robeson, supervisor of nurses at Allegany hospital, was honored by the student nurses with a sleigh ride Thursday evening. A buffet supper was served at the home after the ride.

Mrs. Charles A. Merrill was honor guest at a miscellaneous shower given by her mother, Mrs. John C. Often Thursday evening at her home, Corriganville.

Mrs. Martha E. Logsdon entertained members of the Noble Sixteen Club at a turkey dinner, Thursday evening at her home, Furnace street.

A surprise birthday dinner was given in honor of Miss Margaret Wunder, 424 Cumberland street, in celebration of her eighty-third birthday, by Miss Lucy Myers, Miss Lena Rader, Mrs. Victor Shaffer and Mrs. Joseph Bender.

The Bowling Green Homemakers Club will meet and elect two officers at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Mease. Miss Maude A. Bean will speak on "War Food."

The Valley Road Homemakers Club will meet at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday at Emmanuel Episcopal church. An art exhibit will be held and a panel discussion.

Court Cardinal Gibbons, No. 529, Catholic Daughters of America, will hold its regular business meeting at the home, 226 Union street, at 8:15 o'clock this evening.

Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1 will have a covered dish supper Tuesday night after the regular meeting at Odd Fellows' Hall, South Mechanic street.

The Mt. Pleasant Methodist Church Young Adult Fellowship dinner scheduled for Tuesday has been postponed because of the snow.

MARK WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. James Kirkpatrick

Mr. and Mrs. James Kirkpatrick, 706 Lincoln street, celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Friday evening, with an informal party for approximately thirty guests.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick, the former Miss Alda Sites, Petersburg, W. Va., and Mr. Kirkpatrick, Creetown, Kirkcudbrightshire, Scotland, were married in the Centre Street Methodist church, this city, and have resided in Cumberland for the past twenty years. They are the parents of two children, Miss Virginia Kirkpatrick, at home and James W. Kirkpatrick, student at the University of Maryland, College Park.

Kathryn Witwer Is Guest Of Honor at Recital Here

Visits Her Sister before Returning To Resume Radio, Concert Work

Miss Kathryn Witwer, New York and Chicago, was honor guest at the third of the series of monthly recitals by the pupils of Mrs. Marguerite W. Richards yesterday afternoon in the adult Sunday school room of the Centre Street Methodist church.

Miss Witwer is spending the week with her sister, Mrs Richards, 869 Gephart drive, before returning to New York to resume her career in radio and concert work after a prolonged illness.

A feature of the program was two duet combinations; Helen Sitzler and her mother, Mrs. Richard R. Sitzler played several selections and Miss Rita Millenson and Miss Ella Louise Richards played a group.

Pupils playing on the program were Frances Reynolds, Dianna Warden, Dorothy Crawford, Jock Millenson, Dorothy Shertzer, Todd Spoeri, Betsy Walsh, Marshall Walton, Donna Rae Garland, Mary Clark Wilson, William Walsh, Constance Cook, Bernard Blake, Edith Ann Doolittle, Perry Peskin, Anne Hughes, Betty Miller, Joyce Bestwick and Rita Millenson.

The program notes were given by Barbara Michaels, Barbara Blake, Patricia Taylor, William Timmons, Judith Kline, John Mansfield, Ann Reynolds, Mary Ellen Platt, Nancy Walton, Lois Ansel, James Hughes, Doris Apsey, Charles Mefford, Louella Jeanne Hineman, Josephine Kompanek, Marian Warden, Marguerite Keller, Jean Marquis and Joyce Bestwick.

Literature Group Will Meet at the Library

The Literature Group of the Woman's Civic Club will meet at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Cumberland Free Public Library, with Mrs. H. V. Deming presiding.

Prof. David Nuzum, Potomac State college, Keyser, W. Va., will review two books one by Ben Ames Williams and the other by Caroline Mytinger.

Six Births Are Reported

Sgt. and Mrs. James J. Van Sickle, Jr., 17 Boone street, announce the birth of a son at Allegany hospital Sunday. Sgt. Van Sickle is stationed at Gowen Field, Boise, Idaho. Mrs. Van Sickle was Miss Mildred Cross, Hazen road. The child has been named James III.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rose, RFD No. 3, Bedford, Pa., announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday morning, in Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer J. Leighty, Corriganville, announce the birth of a son, Saturday at the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Buckbee, Romney, W. Va., announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday night, in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Himmler, 118 Elder street, announce the birth of a daughter, January 24, at Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Himmler was Miss Hazel Smith, of Little Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver Bishop, 329 City View terrace, announce the birth of a son, Saturday afternoon, at Allegany hospital.

Father Iraeneus Speaks at Meeting Of Vocation Club

Panel Discussion on "Religious Life" and Playlet Are Presented

Hard work and patience are required no matter which avocation is chosen, the Rev. Father Iraeneus, O.F.M.Cap., pastor of SS. Peter and Paul church, told members of the Our Lady of Good Council Vocation Club at the meeting sponsored by the Ursuline Academy, yesterday afternoon at the academy. He stressed the fact that it is only through bringing happiness to their neighbors will they find a greater happiness for themselves.

A panel discussion on "Religious Life" was held with Frances Ferrato as chairman and Betty McDonough, Patricia Doerner, Jane McMullen and Rosemary Weisenmiller participating.

A one act playlet entitled, "Vocation Room" was presented with the cast including Louise Glick, portraying, Louise; Jeanne Lippold, Jeanne; Elvera Umstot, the entertainer; Mary Catherine Conlon, the nurse; Mary Catherine Schaaf, the teacher; Alberta Ley, an artist; Marjorie Reinhard, a nun; Mary Theresa Neely, representing business; Jacqueline Alderton, a bride and Patricia Doerner as pianist.

Sister Ephrem, of St. Mary's convent, moderator of the club offered the opening prayer; members of the sophomore class sang Berlin's "Angels of Mercy." The program concluded with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the church with the Rev. Father Iraeneus as celebrant.

Child Guidance Circle Will Hold Discussion

The topic, "Heredity and Environment," will be discussed at the meeting of the Child Guidance Circle of the Child Conservation League of America to be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the home of Mrs. Albert Thorne, LaVale terrace.

Mrs. W. G. Pomeroy and Mrs. Joseph Wagner will be the speakers. A discussion on "Ways in Which Both Heredity and Environment Can Be Controlled," will be held by the group following the talks. The roll call will be answered by "What Ancestor Do You Resemble?"

One-Day Divorce Is Granted Here

Rose M. Wigfield of this city was granted a divorce in circuit court here, the same day she filed a bill of complaint against her husband, Clyde C. Wigfield, also of this city. Associate Judge William A. Huster signed a partial divorce decree based on a charge of cruelty.

The couple married in 1937 at Steubenville, O., and have one minor daughter whose custody was awarded the mother. Under terms of the partial decree, neither can marry during the lifetime of the other.

Pupils of Centre Street School To Present Play

"The Snow Queen's Prisoner" Will Be Given February 5 and 6

A musical play entitled, "The Snow Queen's Prisoner" will be presented by pupils of the Centre Street school at 2 o'clock February 5 and 6 at the school auditorium.

The story of the play is based on selected episodes of Hans Christian Anderson's "Snow Queen." It relates the adventures of Kay and robbers and Greda in an enchanted garden in the queen's realm.

Among the one hundred and thirty children taking part will be Donald Gibson, Frances Knight, Betty Jean McHardy Marion McKenty, Mary Ann Lewis, Michael Biggs, Ruth Rahn, Lillian Starkey, Catherine Alkire, Rena Portmess, Barbara Lou Michael, Jacqueline Lohr, Mary Helen Blamble, Doris Messman, Joseph Eady, Edith Utt, Dennis Teeter, George Walsh, Thomas Bowman, Dolores Knight and William Often.

Gephart School P-TA Holds Card Party

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Gephart school held a card party Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Erdman, 948 Bedford street, the proceeds to be put in a general fund for anything needed for the benefit of the school.

Seven tables of 500 were in play and the prizes were Defense Stamps of different denominations. Winners of the first prizes were Miss Anne Tennent and Miss Nell Smith; second, Mrs. B. K. Kilroy and W. E. Landfelt; low, Mrs. Mary Curtis and James Messick.

Quiz Contest Is Held

A drawing contest and three quizzes one on proverbs, one on birthdays and a general quiz, featured the program at the annual birthday party of the Semper Fidelis Bible Class of the Bethany United Brethren church, Friday evening at the church dining hall.

The musical program consisted of group singing.

Personals

Mrs. Louis A. Kabosky, 419 Arch street, has returned to her home after being a patient at Allegany hospital for two weeks.

George Rossworm, Pittsburgh, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Rossworm, 408 Kean terrace, will leave this morning for Miami, Fla., where he has been ordered to report for duty as an air cadet.

Capt. Homer Stoody, Washington, D. C., was a weekend visitor here.

The Rev. Charles W. Bogan, St. Patrick's rectory, has returned from Washington, D. C., where he visited his mother, who is ill.

Lieut. jr. gr. Charles M. Stump spent the weekend with Mrs. Stump at Casualty hospital, Washington, D. C., before reporting for duty at Dartmouth college, Hanover, N. H., Wednesday.

Raymond J. Logsdon, seaman second class, returned to Norfolk, Va., today after visiting his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Klosterman, LaVale.

Lieut. W. Alfred VanOrmer spent the weekend with Mrs. VanOrmer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Holland, 101 Washington street, on his way to Fort Devens, Mass, where he has been assigned to duty in the One hundred fifteenth Station hospital. He is being transferred from Camp Pickett, Va.

Mrs. Edward Harden, Riehl avenue and Miss Mary McGraw, Frostburg, are spending a week at Virginia Beach, visiting Lieut. Alfred E. Howe.

Miss Ethel Mae Smeltzer, West First street, entered Teachers college, Columbia university, N. Y., Saturday for a course in public health work. She has completed three years training at Memorial Hospital School of Nursing.

Corporal Raymond B Hall, an instructor in the Eight Hundred Ninth Air Force Command, returned to Sioux Falls Air Base, South Dakota, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Hall, 442 Seymour street.

Miss Shirley Mae Lewis, Route 5, is recuperating from an appendectomy at her home.

Pvt. Stanley Van Meter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Van Meter, Fort Ashby, W. Va., returned to Camp Polk, La., after a thirteen-day furlough at his home.

Miss Jean Post, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Post, 512 Louisiana avenue, is convalescing at Memorial hospital.

Miss Julia N. Yingling, Baltimore, is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. A. Yingling, 510 Rose Hill avenue.

First class machinist's mate, Orville David Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Wright, Potomac Park, home for five days, returned yesterday to his ship at New York.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Roth, 421 Grand avenue, and Miss Virginia Lee McBride, 427 Goethe street, are visiting Cadet Ralph Roth in Charlottesville, Va.

William Ensminger, Bedford road, is improving at Allegany hospital, where he underwent a major operation Monday.

LaVale Mothers Club Will Attend Training Classes

Accepts Invitation To Course To Be Conducted by Mrs. Mirkin

The Mothers Club of LaVale have accepted the invitation to attend the classes on "Child Training," being conducted by Mrs. Miriam K. Mirkin at the West Side school under the direction of the University of Maryland.

The course comprises ten lessons and will be conducted from February 2 through April 6.

"Child Psychology, Building a Happy Family Relationship," will be the theme of the beginners course which will be held at 10 o'clock each Tuesday morning.

An advanced course on "The Psychology of Adolescence," will be given by Mrs. Mirkin at 1:30 o'clock each Tuesday afternoon.

The regular meetings of the Mothers Club have been discontinued until May in order of the members to attend the training classes.

Cast Selected For "The Pact", One Act Play

Will Be Presented March 12 by Living Stone Church Group

A one act social problem play entitled, "The Pact," will be presented by the members of the Young Peoples department of the Living Stone Church of the Brethren at 8 o'clock March 12 in the church hall.

The cast will include Mrs. Agnes Roby as Myrna; Miss Anna Eaton, portraying Babs; Miss Minnie Eaton, Ruth; Miss Loraine Burke, Ann; Miss Marian Buckle, Bess; James Roby, Alec; John Buckle, Dick; and Richard Rowe, Bert.

Paul Merrill will be the stage manager and will be assisted by Donald Arnold. Miss Esther Duncan is property mistress and Miss Betty Duncan is assistant. Miss Georgia Apple is wardrobe mistress.

Memorial Hospital's "Iron Lung" Will Be Displayed at Rosenbaum's

The "iron lung" presented for community service to Memorial hospital by the Maryland Labor Unity League will be on display this week in one of the windows of Rosenbaum Brothers store, Baltimore street.

The "lung" is of the latest light weight design and no charge will be made for its use. It cost approximately $600 and efforts are being made to collect funds for a second one.

The Labor Unity Group is composed of representatives from the A. F. of L., Railroad Brotherhood and C. I. O. and independent unions. Some business firms also contributed for its purpose.

Church Group To Meet

The Women's Association of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 8 o'clock this evening in the lecture hall with Mrs. Edgar D. Vandegrift presiding.

A community work program will be presented by members of the Red Cross staff and representatives of the Girl Scouts.

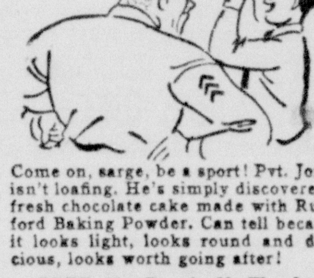
Sleigh Ride Is Held By Girl Scout Troop

A sleigh ride through Cash Valley was held by Girl Scout Troop No. 9, of SS. Peter and Paul School, yesterday afternoon.

Following the ride the girls played "Fox and Goose" had a snow battle and made a snow man, after which hot chocolate and sandwiches were served.

Returning to town the girls hiked from the Cash Valley road to the old Narrows Park to catch a bus. Mrs. J. F. Challinor, leader, of the troop was in charge.

Private Jones



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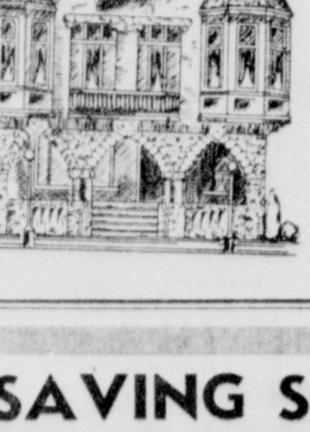

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Gildersleeve Will Be Star in Radio Theater Program

Story of the Marines Will Be Presented in Cavalcade

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 — Hal Peary —he's the Great Gildersleeve, you know—is going to do some broadcasting for CBS Monday night. What's more he will be a star actor.

The starring comes in because he will appear as the lead in the Cecil B. DeMille Radio Theater at 9 when there is dispensed by voice alone the comedy, "The Showoff." It was figured Gildy would be just the right person for the part. He will have the help of Una Merkel and Beulah Bondi.

The Cavalcade of America is going back in the early history of Uncle Sam's Marines for NBC at 8 when it will do "To the Shores of Tripoli." This one tells the story of the landing of the Marines in the days of the Barbery coast pirates.

Bette Davis in Drama

The Screen Guild players are using Bette Davis for their production in the half-hour of "Dodsworth" on CBS at 10. Walter Huston will have the opposite lead, while his wife, Nan Sunderland, also will be in the cast.

Penny Singleton gets back in the Blondie cast with Arthur Lake as Dagwood on CBS at 7:30, with a west repeat at 10:30. While she was away Arthur's sister Florence took the part.

The Daytime Showcase, CBS-east at 10:30, will present a nighttime version of the Saturday feature, "Stars over Hollywood." The story will be "The Unexpected Mr. X."

Listings by Networks

NBC — 10:45 a. m., Woman of America, a serial; 1:15 p. m. NBC Salon orchestra; 6:45 Bill Stern on sports; 7:30 Dinning sisters song; 8:30 Margaret Speaks, soprano; 9 Don Voorhees concert, Helen Traubel; 9:30 I. Q. quiz; 10 Contented Concert; 10:30 Lands of the Free, drama.

CBS — 3:15 Landt Trio with Curley; 4:30 Children and the War; 5:45 Ben Bernie; 6:15 Songs from Olga Coelho; 7:15 Orson Welles Ceiling Unlimited; 8 Vox Poppers; 8:30 Gay Nineties Revue; 11:15 Dancing and news.

BLUE—10:30 a. m., Baby Institute; 12:30 p. m. Farm and Home program; 3 Three R's variety; 4 club Matinee; 7:30 Lone Ranger; 8:30 True or False; 9 Counter Spy drama; 9:30 Spotlight bands; 10:30 Basin Street.

MBS—10:15 a. m. John Metcalf's choir loft; 12:15 p. m. Bill Hay reading the Bible; 3:30 p. m. Shady Valley Folks; 5:15 Quaker City Pan-Americana; 6:45 Songs for Service men; 7:30 Mystery Hall concert; 8:30 Bulldog Drummond adventures; 9:15 a., m. Alexander Mediation board; 11:30 Records of Radio Newsreel.

The Radio Clock

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT., 2 Hrs. for MWT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

5:45—Front Page Farrell Serial—nbc
Captain Midnight's Serial—blu-east
The Ben Bernie Musical Show—cbs
Serial Series for the Kiddies—mbs
6:00—Music by Shrednick; News—nbc
Children's Serial From Comics—blu
Ten Minutes of News; Musicale—cbs
Prayer; Comment on the War—mbs
6:15—Today at the Duncans—cbs-bas.
Concert in Rhythm Orc.—cbs-Dixie
Joe Rines With His Orchestra—blu
Rhythm Ensemble of St. Louis—mbs
6:30—Fifteen-Min. Concert Prog.—nbc
Jack Armstrong in repeat—blu-west
Walter Cassel's Program—cbs-basic
War Overseas; Service Songs — mbs
6:45—Bill Stern and Sports Spot—nbc
Lowell Thomas on News—blu-basic
Captain Midnight's repeat—blu-west
War and World News of Today—cbs
7:00—Fred Waring's Time—nbc-east
Col. Stoopnagle; Comedy Major—blu
Amos and Andy's Sketch—cbs-basic
Fulton Lewis, Jr. & Comment—mbs
7:15—War News from the World—nbc
Ceiling Unlimited, Orson Welles—cbs
The Johnson Family, a Serial—mbs
7:30—Dinning Sisters Vocal Trio—nbc
Lone Ranger Drama of the West—blu
Blondie-Dagwood's Comedy—cbs-east
Mystery Hall Concert, Buffalo—mbs
7:45—Kaltenborn and Comment—nbc
8:00—The Cavalcade of America—nbc
Earl Godwin's News Broadcast—blu
Vox Pop by Parks and Warren—cbs
Cal Tinney War Commentary—mbs
8:15—Lum and Abner Serial—Skit—blu
Barry Sisters & Willard Trio—mbs
8:30—Alfred Wallenstein's Conc.—nbc
True or False and Dr. Hagen—blu
The Gay Nineties Revue—cbs-basic
Bulldog Drummond Adventure—mbs
8:55—Five-Minute News Period—cbs
9:00—Voorhees Concert & Guest—nbc
Counter Spy, Drama of the War—blu
Cecil B. de Mille Radio Theater—cbs
Gabriel Heatter Speaking—mbs-basic
9:15—Alexander's Mediation B'd—mbs
9:30—Doc, I. Q. & Quiz Queries—nbc
Spotlight Bands, Guest Orches.—blu
9:55—Dale Carnegie on People—blu
10:00—Contented Concert Orches.—nbc
Raymond G. Swing's Comment—blu
Screen Guild Players & Guests—cbs
Raymond Clapper's Comments—mbs
10:15—Gracie Fields and Comedy—blu
Dean Pardue on "Our Morale"—nbc
10:30—Lands of the Free Series—nbc
Basin Street's "Chamber Music"—blu
Daytime Showcase Variety—cbs-east
Blondie-Dagwood's repeat—cbs-west
Paul Schubert's War Analysis—mbs
10:45—Dancing Music Orchestra — blu
Music That Endures, a Concert—mbs
11:00—News for 15 minutes—nbc-east
The Fred Waring repeat—nbc-west
News and Dance 2 hrs.—blu & cbs
Commentary; Dance Orchestra—mbs
11:15—Late Variety With News—nbc
11:30—London's Radio Newsreel—mbs
12:00—Dance Music, News 2 hrs.—mbs

Theaters Today

"Avengers" Will Open Tomorrow at Strand

Thrillingly dramatizing the spirit of defiance and will to freedom of the people of Norway in their struggle against the Nazi invaders, Paramount's release, "The Avengers," comes to the Strand theater on Tuesday. Tense, dramatic and spectacular, the picture is the first to deal with the Norwegian underground movement and with the part played in it by British agents and by the Commandos.

Made in England with the full co-operation of the Royal Norwegian government and the British War Office, "The Avengers" is a powerful romance, filmed against the seething background of war, with handsome Hugh Williams and blonde Deborah Kerr as the lovers. Ralph Richardson has the role of Lockwood, ace foreign correspondent, and Griffith Jones is cast as Gunter, a local Quisling who, with Francis L. Sullivan, as Wettau, Nazi Gauleiter, dies at the hands of the Commandos during a raid.

Bette Davis Stars In Film at Garden

Now playing at the Garden theater is Bette Davis in "In This Our Life." Based on the novel by Ellen Glasgow, this is one of the most distinguished films of the year and affords Miss Davis, two-time Academy Award winner, ample scope for her dramatic ability. George Brent, Olivia de Havilland and Dennis Morgan are included in the cast.

The co-feature at the Garden is one of the ever-popular Blondie series, "Blondie's Blessed Event." Adapted from the famous comic strip, this one maintains the standard set in its predecessors. Arthur Lake, as Dagwood, Penny Singleton, as Blondie, and Larry Sims, as Baby Dumpling, head the cast.

Star Wears 13 Costumes In "Arabian Nights"

Total weight of the thirteen Oriental costumes which Maria Montez wears for her role of Sherazade in Walter Wanger's "Arabian Nights," now at the Liberty theater, is exactly six pounds eight ounces. Which is several ounces less than the average weight of a single costume.

Vera West, head of women's wardrobe at Universal studio, made an exhaustive investigation of early Oriental habiliments to insure authenticity of the Montez creations. The results are three cheers for the government's campaign to conserve on dress materials.

Murder Mystery Starts At Embassy Tomorrow

Monogram Pictures' newest bid for favor with the murder mystery fans is titled "Phantom Killer," and will be the topline attraction starting tomorrow at the Embassy theater.

Based on the maniacal schemes of a would-be perpetrator of the "perfect crime," this blood-curdling yarn reveals the machinations of a deaf and dumb mute who kills his creditors when their notes fall due, in order to carry on his career of prominent citizen and public benefactor.

Fragile Star Shows "Give" in Big Scene

Miriam Hopkins may appear fragile. Her height is about five feet and she weighs a little over one hundred pounds, but when she screams at Brian Donlevy, "You. . . you can't do this to me, you . . . jailbird!" with her fists and teeth clinched and her eyes darting fire, she looks anything but fragile.

Miss Hopkins and Donlevy are rehearsing a scene from "A Gentleman after Dark," the Edward Small picture that opens today at the Maryland theater. Donlevy, without collar, tie, coat or vest, looks unperturbed as he glances at the script and murmurs "Easy, baby."

"I wish I could take it easy," Miss Hopkins remarks to him. "But I can't help it. If I don't rehearse a scene just the way I'm going to do it for the camera, I wind up not doing it the way I want to."

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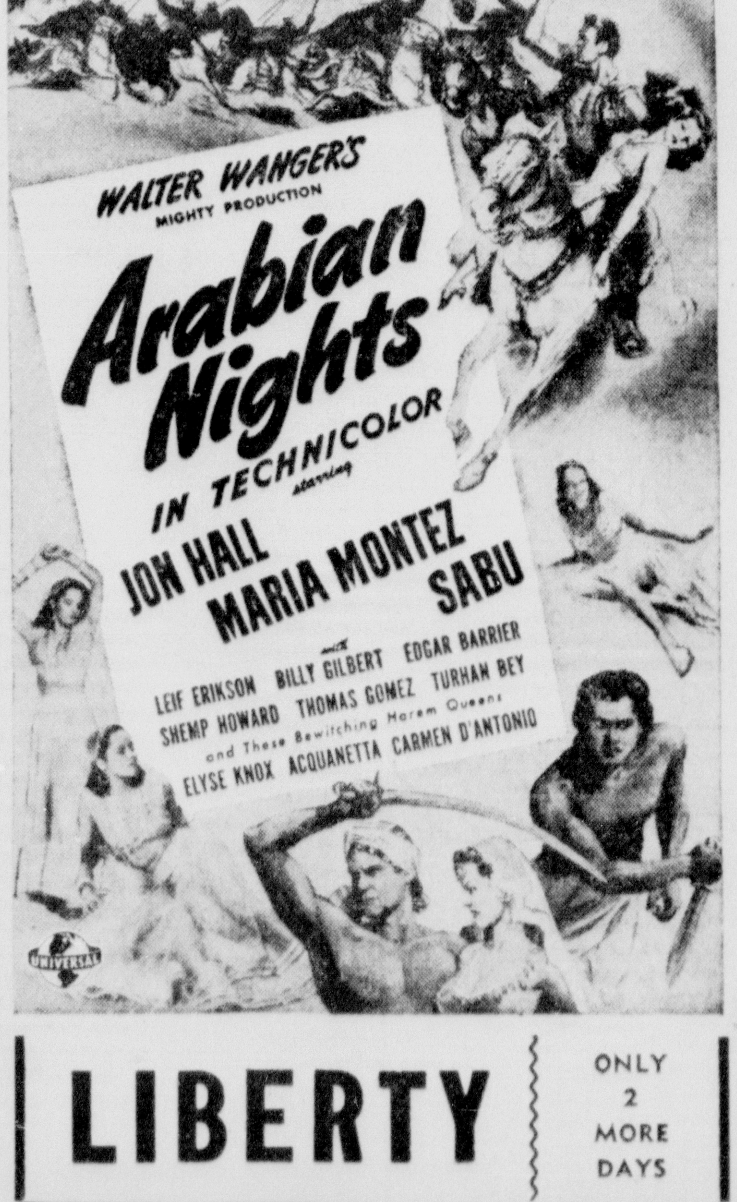

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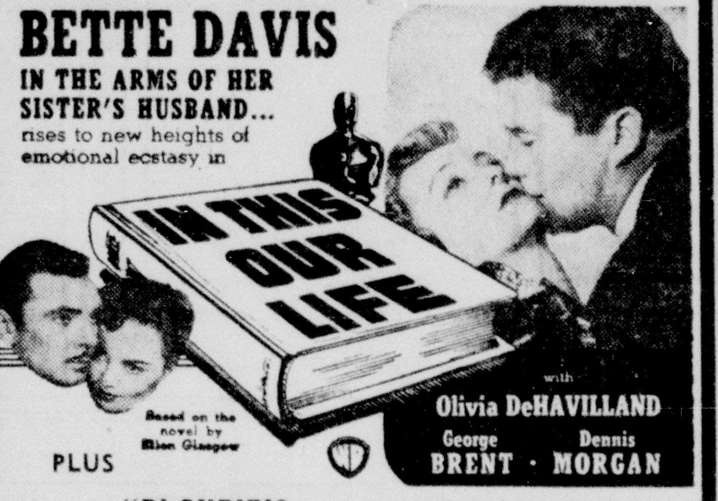

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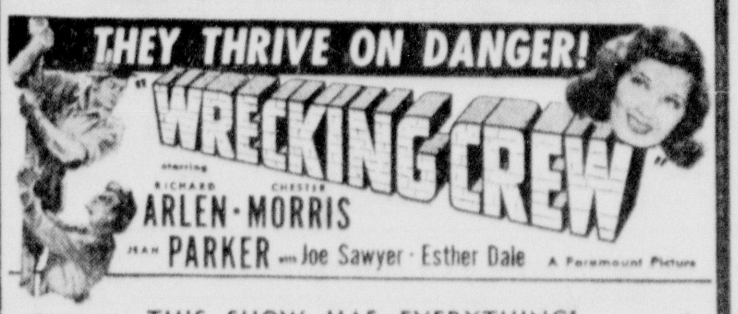

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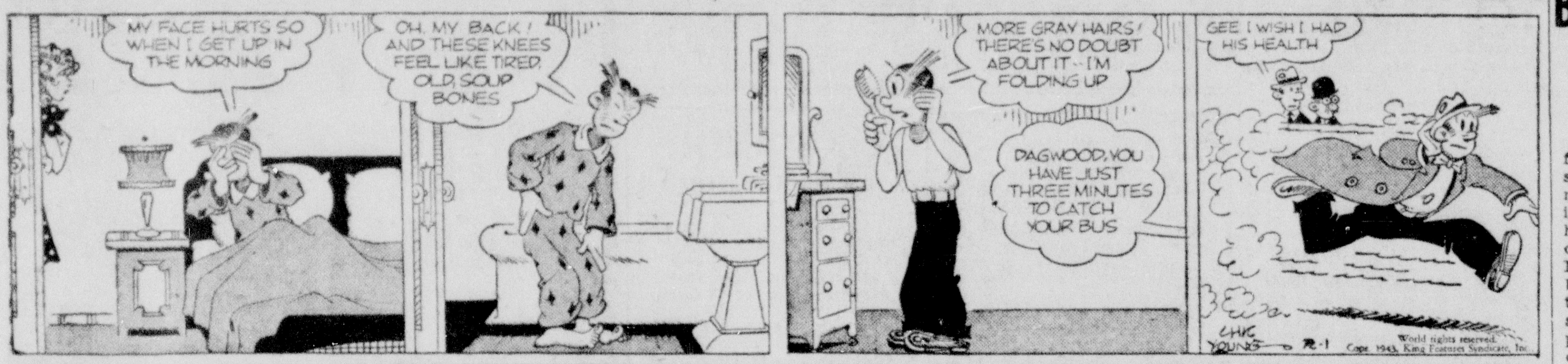

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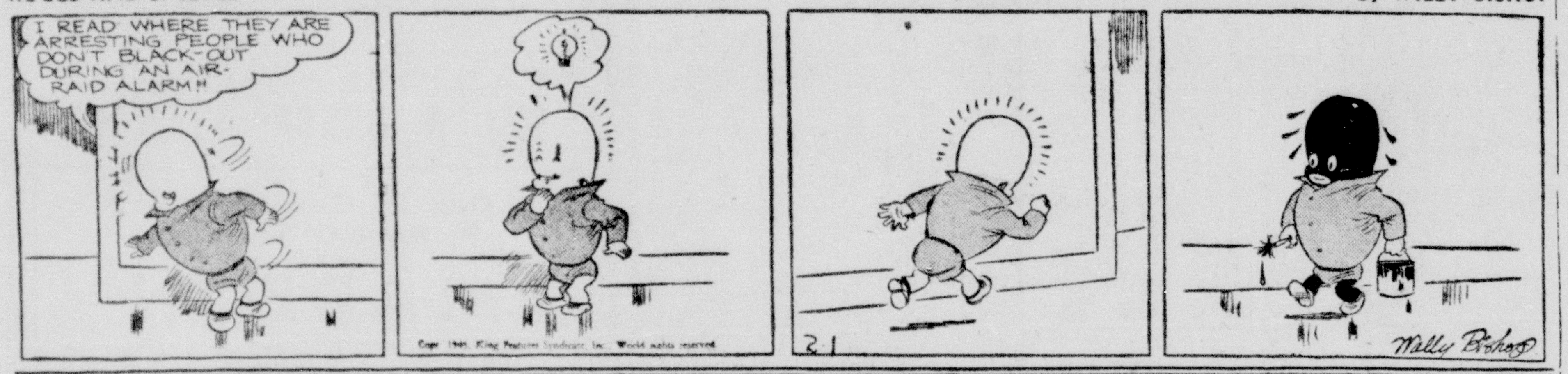

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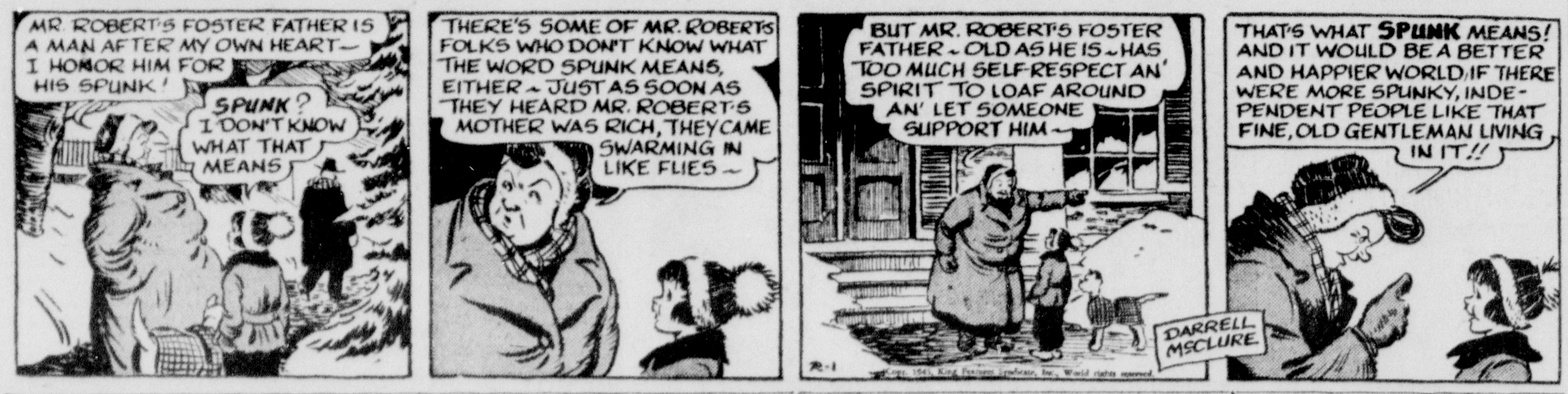

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Barclay on Bridge

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GIVE HIM A CHANCE

DECLARER'S lead of a trump from his own hand, toward either small trumps or none in the dummy, will nearly always tempt the inexperienced cardsman in second-hand position to come up with a card which will beat the one led. If some other card, big enough to beat the one led, is out of sight, the better-trained player will usually play low, in the hope that his partner may have that missing card. Sometimes this may risk loss of your own guarded honor, but on other occasions it involves no such risk. Giving your partner a chance to use the missing honor may not endanger anything.

	North	
	♠ A K 5 2 ♥ K Q J 7 3 ♦ 9 8 6 4 ♣ None	
West ♠ 9 8 ♥ 4 ♦ A K Q J 7 3 2 ♣ A Q 6	N / W E / S	**East** ♠ Q J 10 7 6 4 ♥ 9 8 5 2 ♦ 10 ♣ J 4
	♠ 3 ♥ A 10 6 ♦ 5 ♣ K 10 9 8 7 5 3 2	

(Dealer: West. East-West vulnerable.)

West	North	East	South
1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
2 ♦	2 ♠	Dbl	3 ♣
3 ♦	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♣
Dbl			

Please don't try to explain that as good bidding. It is merely what actually occurred in a rubber game, and similar to much that occurs in some of them. And the play was like much of it. West could have set the contract easily by laying down a high diamond and then playing correctly when trumps came along, but he did neither, and an extra trick was gained by South.

Answering his partner's mid-auction double of spades, he led the 9 of that suit, so that the A and K of it enabled South to discard his diamond and be sure he would have no losers there. Then he led the diamond 4 from dummy, ruffed it and was ready for trumps, hoping against hope.

South led the club 10. If West had ducked this, with nothing to lose and with something to gain if East had either the J or K, his side would have had three tricks in trumps. But he put on his Q and returned a diamond, which South ruffed. The club K was then led, the A going on and the J dropping. That obviously ended the trick taking for East and West.

When play that bad is shown, it probably requires the explanation that this department is meant to deal with bridge that actually gets played, not alone with theoretical perfection.

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Tomorrow's Problem

	North	
	♠ A J 6 4 ♥ 8 5 ♦ K Q 7 ♣ A Q 6 2	
West ♠ K 5 ♥ K Q J 7 3 2 ♦ 5 ♣ 8 7 4 3	N / W E / S	**East** ♠ 10 9 7 ♥ 10 9 6 4 ♦ 4 3 ♣ K J 10 9
	♠ Q 8 3 2 ♥ A ♦ A J 10 9 8 6 2 ♣ 5	

(Dealer: North. North-South vulnerable.)

What would be the soundest bidding of this deal?

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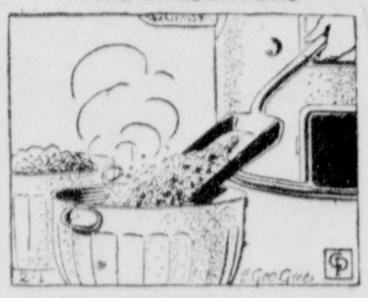

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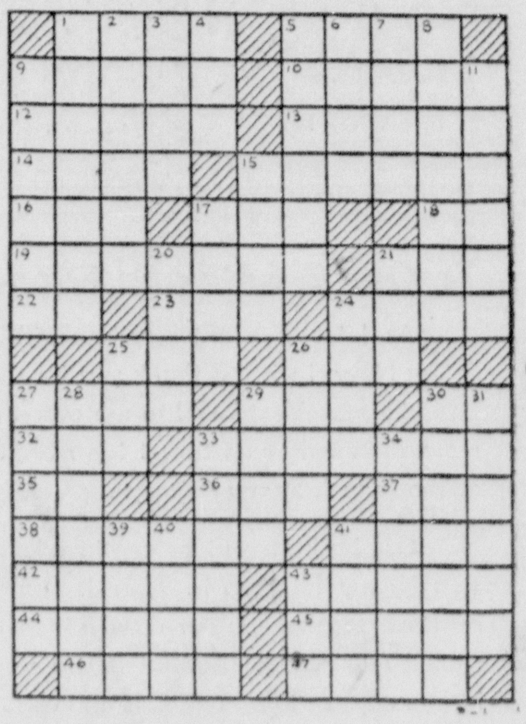
5. Bodies of water
9. Mother-of-pearl
10. Cavils
12. To adorn
13. Bay window
14. Metal
15. A day
16. Sloths
17. Young dog
18. Kitchen police
19. Tyrants
21. Insect
22. South Dakota (abbr.)
23. Employ
24. Vehicles
25. Emmet
26. Island
27. Lie in warmth
29. Convert into leather
30. Type measure
32. Noah's boat
33. Inflamed spot
35. Chinese measure
36. Writing fluid
37. Snare
38. Flower
41. Number
42. Bracing
43. Place of worship
44. Herb
45. Prescribed regimens
46. Mountains
47. Church part

DOWN
1. Warded off
2. Over
3. Persia
4. Ruler of Tunis
5. Ladles
6. Merit
7. Hot and dry
8. Orator
9. Water nymphs
11. Passages
15. Speechless
17. Pillar
20. Touchwood
21. Shore recess
24. Jargon
25. Question
26. Keg
27. Bully tree
28. Western State
29. Prickly pear
30. Raise
31. Measures of length
33. Fragments
34. Joins
39. Source of indigo
40. Speak imperfectly
41. Flick
43. Girl's name

Saturday's Answer



CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

C R N G C L T W P, J M T A P C M P J T E I C V E W H T S P C, C L G S K A P C R E T E E R W P E W P, C R S P L T S P C — C. K G L A P H.

Saturday's Cryptoquote: WHAT RIGHTS ARE HIS THAT DARE NOT STRIKE FOR THEM?—TENNYSON.

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Funeral Notice

BRODE—William Leslie, aged 4 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brode, Eckhart, Md., died Saturday, January 30th. The body will remain at the home, where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services held Monday, 2:30 p. m. Rev. L. B. Browne, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, will officiate. Interment in Allegany Cemetery. Arrangements by Durst Funeral Service. 1-31-1t-SN

WOODS—Mrs. Ella M. (Raines), aged 59, wife of Edward Woods, 256 Elder St., died at the Memorial Hospital, Saturday, January 30th. The body will remain at the home, where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services held Tuesday, 2 p. m. Rev. Charles H. Wakeman will officiate. Interment in Hillcrest Cemetery. Arrangements by Stein's Funeral Service. 1-31-1t-SN

WILSON—Mrs. Elizabeth (Fuller), aged 76, widow of James M. Wilson, 7 Ormend street, Frostburg, died Saturday, January 30. The body is at the home, where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services held Monday 2:30 p. m. The Rev. Ralph W. Wott, pastor of First Methodist church, will officiate. Interment in Allegany cemetery. Arrangements by Durst's Funeral Service. 2-1-1t-N

HAYES—George M., aged 79, 15 American avenue, Frostburg, died Saturday, January 30. The body will remain at the home where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services held Tuesday 2 p. m. The Rev. Walter V. Simon, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, will officiate. Interment in Allegany cemetery. Arrangements by Durst's Funeral Service. 2-1-1t-NT

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11—Business Opportunities

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13—Coal For Sale

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COLUMBIA ST. Coal Yards, 1466-M. 1-3-31t-T

COAL. Phone 3342-M. 1-5-31t-N

BIG VEIN coal. Phone 3253-M. 1-7-31t-T

J. RILEY big vein coal, 4167. 1-9-3m-N

R. S. SHANHOLTZ coal. Phone 2249-R. 1-26-31t-N

BIG VEIN Coal. Phone 3106-R. 1-26-tf-N

15—Electric Work, Fixtures

ELECTRICAL WORK MOTOR repairing, wiring and fixtures. Queen City Electric Co., 158 Frederick St. Phone 117. 6-6-tf-N

16—Money To Loan

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17—For Rent

OFFICE ROOMS, Commercial Savings Bank. 11-15-tf-N

19—Furnished Apartments

MODERN ONE, two, three and four room apartments. Boulevard Apartments, Phone 2737. 1-22-tf-T

COMFORTABLY furnished 4-room apartment with stoker heat and garage, LaVale, 3395-J. 1-28-tf-T

TWO ROOMS, 119 Harrison St. 1-31-2t-T

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20—Unfurnished Apartments

FIVE ROOMS, bath. Phone 162-W. 1-4-tf-T

THREE ROOMS, bath, adults. Thumel Estate Apartments, 427 N. Centre. 1-13-tf-N

APARTMENT, 207 Washington St. Phone 1258. 1-5-tf-T

MODERN APARTMENT, three rooms and bath, adults, Phone 3770. 1-19-tf-N

MODERN APARTMENT, 316 Cumberland St. Phone 2708 or 2499. 1-28-tf-N

SEVEN ROOMS, rear 12 Baltimore St. Phone 1041-W. 1-28-10t-N

633 BEDFORD ST., 3 rooms, bath, second floor, $15; 202 Springdale, 4 rooms, bath, second floor, $20. Glenn Watson. 1-28-tf-T

TWO ROOM apartment. Phone 2861-M. 1-29-3t-T

THREE ROOMS, bath. Phone 119. 1-31-1w-T

22—Furnished Rooms

ROOM, gentleman, reference, 79 Greene St. 1-30-tf-T

BEDROOM next to bath, 109 N. Centre. 1-30-2t-T

SLEEPING ROOMS, 217 Beall St. 1-30-2t-T

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, Ridgeley, Phone 2679-M. 1-30-1w-T

22—Furnished Rooms

BEDROOM, central, strictly modern, 2518-R. 1-13-31t-T

HOUSEKEEPING, sink, 406 Park St. 1-22-tf-T

SLEEPING ROOM, 312 Washington St. 1-26-1w-T

FRONT ROOM, one or two, private family, 506 Patterson Ave. Phone 2082-R. 1-29-31t-N

BEDROOM in private family, reference, 62 Greene. 1-29-31t-T

LIGHT housekeeping room, 125 Bedford. 1-29-3t-T

TWO LARGE rooms, furnished or unfurnished, bus line, near Pinto Plant. Phone 4038-F-6 after 4:30 P. M. 1-30-2t-N

ROOMS, adults, 443 Baltimore Ave. 1-31-3t-T

23—Unfurnished Rooms

TWO ROOMS, private entrance, sink. 824 Columbia Ave. 2-1-1w-N

24—Houses For Rent

FIVE-ROOM house, 30 W. First St. Occupancy February 15th. 1-30-3t-T

26—For Sale Miscellaneous

ASPHALT ROOFING, 1 ply, 98c; 2 ply, $1.35; 3 ply, $1.48. Liberty Hardware. Phone 550. 9-15-tf-T

CINDERS, free for hauling. Phone 497. 11-14-tf-N

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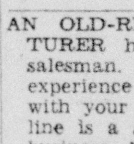

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RECONDITIONED Radios, basement, 321 Bedford. 1-29-31t-N

PRICE'S FURNITURE Exchange, the home of good used furniture. Electric refrigerators, gas and electric ranges, radios, washing machines, bedroom, living room, dining room suites, chrome breakfast sets, lamps, mirrors, new and used rugs, 79 N. Centre St. 1-29-tf-T

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SPENCER CORSETS — Mrs. Leatherman, Phone 208. 1-30-31t-N

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BIGGEST SELECTION, best buys. Nationally famous Congoleum and Armstrong floor covering. Shonter's, 128 N. Centre. 1-26-tf-T

WESTINGHOUSE, Silvertone, Crosley and Philco, console and table model radios and tubes, basement 321 Bedford. 1-30-3t-T

PIANO, 119 Harrison St. Phone 603-R. 1-31-2t-T

KELVINATOR, stove, 213 Avirett Ave. 1-31-3t-T

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28—Furnaces, Heating

FURNACE CASTINGS, stove bowls, grate bars, machinery repairing and welding. McKaig's Machine Shop and Foundry. 9-25-tf-T

STOVE BOWLS, grate bars, old fashioned fireplace grates. Williams Foundry & Machine Works, 117 Valley St. 12-4-tf-T

28-A—Florists

FLOWERS, BOPP'S, Phone 2582. 10-17-tf

29—Furniture, Stoves

USED FURNITURE, Millenson's, 317 Virginia. 1-6-tf-T

USED FURNITURE, Goodman's, 174 Baltimore St. 11-20-tf-N

30—Building Supplies

OAK FLOORING. It will be a satisfaction to have a beautiful oak floor. Lay it over the old one. Price 13c per square foot. Phone 1270
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31—Help Wanted

TRI-STATE Employment Commission, School Street, LaVale. Nurses registry, also convalescent home. Phone 1861-M. (Licensed Agency.) 11-26-tf-N

32—Help Wanted—Female

GIRL FOR general housework, $7.50 week, 17 Oak St. 1-30-tf-T

EXPERIENCED Housekeeper, 206 Columbia St. 1899-R. 1-26-1w-N

WANTED—Woman for housework, live in. Apply 786 Fayette St. 1-26-1w-T

EXPERIENCED WOMAN for housework and cooking, $12 week. Write Box 78-A, % Times-News. 1-27-1wk-N

WANTED — Secretary for law office. Permanent position. Call 2207 for appointment. 1-28-tf-N

HOUSEKEEPER for invalid, 114 Potomac St. 1-31-2t-T

33—Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Thoroughly experienced floor covering salesman and interior decorator. Unusual opportunity for advancement to executive position. Apply in person or write stating experience, age, married or single, references. Rosenbaum Bros., Floor Covering Buyer, Cumberland, Md. 1-27-10t-T

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36—Instructions

LESSONS ON guitar, piano accordion, 114 Greene. Phone 2676-J. 1-20-31t-N

37—Musical Instruments

EVERYTHING musical, reduced prices, 66 Mechanic. Phone 123. 1-20-31t-T

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38—Lost and Found

LOST—Sugar ration book. John Thrasher, Jr., Phone 3873-M. 1-30-2t-T

LOST — Five Sugar Ration Books. W. H. Miller, Route 5, City. 1-29-3t-N

LOST—Gasoline ration book #F487882. Charles A. Kreger, 423 Furnace St. 1-29-3t-T

LOST—9x12 rug on Baltimore Ave. Return Bennett Transfer Co. 1-31-3t-T

Md. License Tag No. 480-990. Call 3411-W. 1-2-2t-N

39—Miscellaneous

BLOCK LAYING, cement work. W. A. McKinney, 148 Bedford St. Phone 3013-W. 1-28-tf-N

NORMAN DEE — Taxi, baggage, transfer, light delivery service. Phone 4365. 1-7-31t-N

AUTHORIZED Hoover service. Phone 1372-J. 1-28-31t-T

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FOR HIGHEST prices in rags, iron and metals. Deliver to Frank Lisanti, 126 W. Third St. Phone 4257-J. 1-31-31t-T

41—Moving, Storage

JOHN APPEL TRANSFER, Local and Long Distance Moving. Phone 1623. 1-3-tf-T

42—Painting, Paperhanging

PAPERHANGING, Joe Barnhill, Phone 189-M. 4-17-tf-N

43-A—Professional Services

DR. HEDRICK, dentist. Phone 3018. 10-3-tf-N

44—Piano Tuning

LEO C. REICHERT—Phone 5254. 6-18-tf

EXPERT PIANO tuning. Phone 1837-R. 1-26-31t-N

46—Radios, Service

MORRISSEY Radio Service has gone to war. 12-19-tf-T

47—Real Estate For Sale

NINE-ROOM house, about 2 acres ground, bath, electricity, 3-car garage, chicken house, good fruit, in the village of Centerville. Phone 89-W, Rufus H. Hammer, Real Estate, Bedford, Pa. 1-30-3t-T

FARM — very low price. Box 92-A % Times-News. 2-1-2t-N

48—Roofing, Spouting

ROOFING, spouting, sheet metal work, warm air heating. Phone Twigg, 3362-R. 11-24-tf-N

50—Upholstering

FURNITURE UPHOLSTERING, E. Posselt, 131 Frederick St. Phone 1868-W 9-3-tf

51—Wanted to Buy

DO YOU HAVE a family treadle sewing machine for sale? We buy all makes. Phone Cumberland 394. 9-10-tf-N

WANTED — Household Furniture and appliances, all descriptions. Price's Furniture Exchange, 79 N. Centre St. Phone 2732-W. 11-26-tf-N

WANTED — Stoves and furnaces, any kind, any condition, 526 Virginia Ave. Phone 303. 1-6-31t-T

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USED FURNACE and Heatrola, 650-R. 1-27-tf-T

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52—Wanted Miscellaneous

Wanted
Celanese Riders
Phone 395

53—Wanted To Rent

WANTED—Two or three-room furnished apartment, strictly private. Write Box 88-A, % Times-News. 1-31-3t-T

54—Wanted Situations

MARRIED MAN wants farm work, experienced, 4038-F-2. 1-31-3t-T

With Our Boys In the Service

Notified first on November 11 that her husband Seaman Second Class Leo T. Hamburg, U. S. Navy, was missing in action, his wife, Mrs. Ada Elbin Hamburg, 215 Willowbrook Road, has received additional details saying he was a gunner aboard a tanker in the first convoy to North Africa.

Pvt. John E. Burall, son of Mrs. Mary A. Burall, Mt. Savage, has graduated from the airplane mechanics school at Gulfport Field, Miss. He is a former Celanese worker.

Pvt. Kenneth E. Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Sherman, 309 Water street, here, has been transferred from Camp Meade, Md., to Camp McQuaide, Calif. He is assigned to the coast artillery.

Gerald B. Carlton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer B. Carlton, Park Heights, has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant in the Engineering Replacement Training Center at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Auxiliary Dora Ellen McConnell, daughter of William McConnell, Barton, has begun training with the WAACS at Fort Des Moines, Iowa. The basic training takes four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Richards, 109 Humbird street, have been notified of the overseas arrival of their son, Corp. William G. Richards.

Pvt. John R. Darr, son of John R. Darr, 146 Thomas street, is a patient at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Elvin G. Mawhinney, U. S. Army Air Corps, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Long, 632 North Mechanic street, has been transferred from Fort Meade to Miami Beach, Fla.

Pvt. Joseph O'Neal, husband of Mrs. Lois O'Neal, 404 Goethe street, has been transferred from Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C., to the Parachute Training School at the same camp.

Pfc. Fred Deneen, son of Mrs. Blanch Pryor, 106 West Second street, has been transferred from Camp Livingston, La., to Camp Carrabelle, Fla.

Pvt. F. Garnet Cowherd, Jr., husband of Mrs. Norma Grove Cowherd, this city, is stationed at Atlantic City.

Corp. John B. Lee, Washington, D. C., nephew of Mrs. W. J. Settle, Springdale street, has been transferred from Fort McClellan, Ala., to the Officers Candidate Training School, Fort Benning, Ga.

Pvt. Clyde A. Hopkins, son of Mrs. Nettie Hopkins, Frostburg, is stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., where he is attached to the Fourth Training Battery. Corp. Hopkins is on maneuvers at Leesville, La.

Henry Walter Bachman, husband of Mrs. Kathleen K. Bachman, 426 North Centre street, graduated last week from the U. S. Naval Training School for machinists at the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kas.

Gerald R. Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fisher, 718 Elm street, graduated last week from the U. S. Naval Training School for radiomen at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

Staff Sgt. Thomas R. Post, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Post, 512 Louisiana avenue, has been transferred from Dalhart, Texas, to an advanced glider school, Victorville, Texas.

Robert W. Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter, 311 Polk street, has been transferred from Fort Meade to Miami Beach, Fla.

Pvt. William H. Grove, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grove, 215 Glenn street, is stationed with the Army Air Forces at Miami Beach, Fla.

William A. Barnstricker, seaman second class, 22 Elder street, is stationed at the Naval Construction Training Center, Camp Perry, Magruder, Va.

Mrs. William G. Domer, Potomac Park, has received word of the promotion of her husband to warrant officer at Ford Ord, Cal., and of his assignment to regimental headquarters company as motor maintenance officer.

Pfc John P. Garlitz, brother of Paul H. Garlitz, Mt. Savage, is stationed in the New Guinea war zone where he is attached to the Army's Flying Forces.

Pvt. Peter J. Lyons, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lyons, Frostburg, and brother of Mrs. Matthew Campbell, Mt. Savage, has been transferred from Australia to New Guinea.

Harry A. Tritt, a recent enlistment as a volunteer officer candidate, has been transferred from Fort Meade to Fort Riley, Kas., for basic training.

Mrs. Robert P. Small, 1025 Lafayette avenue, has been advised of the promotion of her husband to the grade of corporal technician in Alaska where he has been stationed since last June.

Raymond C. Snyder, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Snyder, 444 Columbia street, and Robert Mothersole, son of Mrs. Margaret Mothersole, Furnace street, recent graduates of the Maryland Avenue Signal Corps School, have entered the Pre-Radio course of the U. S. Army Signal Corps, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore.

Richard C. Dyche, 637 North Centre street, stationed at Camp Atterbury, Ind., has been uromoted to private first class.

Wylie M. Faw, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wylie M. Faw, Sr., 505 Cumberland street, has been advanced from major to lieutenant colonel. He has been stationed at the Fort Storey (Va.) Station Hospital for nearly two years.

Pvt. Joseph H. Stitcher, son of Officer John H. Stitcher, of the Cumberland Police Department, 440 Goethe street, is stationed at Miami Beach, Fla., for basic training with the Army Air Corps.

District No. 16

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work shall not interfere with the payment of time and one-half and rate and one-half for work done on the following Saturday in the same week.

D. No mine worker shall be fined or penalized for absenteeism affecting Saturday or holiday work.

This supplemental agreement, negotiated between the contracting parties signatory hereto, shall be in effect until the date of expiration of the basic Appalachian Joint Agreement, namely, midnight, March 31, 1943.

Police Arrest

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this city, was arrested on a warrant obtained by John H. Footen, also of Cumberland, on a charge of assault with intent to kill. Stein was released on bond for a preliminary hearing. Footen told police that Stein hit him in the face with a beer bottle last Sunday, in a so-called "social club."

In other raids, not connected with the major round-up, two Cumberland men were arrested on gaming charges early Saturday by Officers Lilya, Manges, Williams and Fred O. Daum. Robert Swarner, North Liberty street, forfeited $25 bond, while William Coleman, Virginia avenue, appeared in police court yesterday and was fined $20.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland.
In the Matter of Edgar C. Corbin, Bankrupt.
In Bankruptcy No. 599.

To the Creditors of the said Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of January, 1943, Edgar C. Corbin was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at Room 203, Postoffice Bldg., Cumberland, Maryland, on Feb. 16, 1943, at ten o'clock a. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee or Trustees, examine the Bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

To participate in the selection of trustee at said meeting, your claim, properly proved in accordance with the provisions of the Bankruptcy Act of 1898, and amendments thereto, must be filed with the Referee prior to or at said meeting.

WILLIAM S. JENKINS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
10 Greene St., Cumberland, Md.
Dated Jan. 29, 1943.
N-Adv.-Feb 1-8-15

Jaycee Birthday List Includes 52 County Names

Twenty-fourth Release Shows Anniversaries for Next Week

Fifty-two men from Allegany county, now with the armed forces, will observe birthday anniversaries next week, according to the twenty-fourth birthday list released by the Cumberland Junior Association of Commerce. The list is published with home addresses so friends and neighbors of the men can send them greetings or gifts on their birthdays. Mail addressesd to the home address will be forwarded by members of the young men's families.

The list follows:

FEBRUARY 7

Wayne H. Boggs, 415 Bedford street; Kenneth L. Hendrickson, R.F.D. No. 3; Troy T. Marks, Jr., 229 Paca street; Louis W. Miller, 428 N. Centre street; John H. Moon, 312 Crawford street; Oliver W. Rice, 12 Boone street; Walter W. White, 607 Fairview avenue; Paul E. Layman, R.F.D. No. 1, Frostburg; William H. Boggs, 415 Bedford street. Thomas F. Winters, 205 E. Main street, Frostburg; John T. Kerr, 80 Mt. Pleasant street, Frostburg; and Claude W. Preston, Barton.

FEBRUARY 8

Joseph F. Aman, 418 Walnut street; William A. Hersh, 12 Thompson avenue; Richard A. Kinser, R.F.D. No. 1 Oldtown; Charles E. Kolb, R.F.D. No. 2, Flintstone; William F. Robertson, Jr., 207 Fifth street; and Kenneth L. Valentine, 415 Independence street.

FEBRUARY 9

Thomas A. Manning, 210 Fulton street; James J. Keating, 87 Mt. Pleasant street, Frostburg; and Harry C. Clark, Barton.

FEBRUARY 10

Edward Frisby, 109 N. Spruce street; Henry J. Getson, Jr., Corriganville; Austin R. Grove, 155 Frost avenue, Frostburg; Daniel W. Light, Pinto; Edward H. McCray, Corriganville; Thomas F. Neff, 201 Fifth street; and Ernest R. Schell, 112 Oak street.

FEBRUARY 11

Charles C. Bloom, 27 Browning street; Robert M. Boden, 508 N. Centre street; Roy S. Brunk, 418 Goethe street; James M. Hite, 212 N. Mechanic street; and Robert J. Yarnall, 806 Maryland avenue.

FEBRUARY 12

Philip W. Blake, 309 Holland street; Leo Connell, 471 Goethe street; William T. Graham, 603 Patterson avenue; Lee F. Hornor, 126 Bedford street; Charles M. Leith, 520 Maryland avenue; Roy C. Mason, Ellerslie; David M. Ogilvie, 542 Fairmont avenue; George T. Rice, 714 Glenmore street; Andrew S. Roemer, Jr., P.O. Box 1002, City; Howard W. Wells, 313 Central avenue; and William M. Nichol, Union street, Lonaconing.

FEBRUARY 13

Frank A. Stakem, 33 N. Mechanic street; Charles R. Boyden, 545 N. Mechanic street; David A. Colomy, 232 Bedford street; Joseph P. Derrico, 1018 Gay street; Hesper A. Harmon, 856 Maryland avenue; Robert K. McLucas, 306 Helen street; Carl M. Rossi, 506 Bedford street; George H. Werkmeister, 872 Sperry terrace; and Lester J. Sibley, 468 Goethe street.

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Government Buying Cows To Help Ease Shortage of Milk

In an effort to relieve the milk and dairy product shortage in some metropolitan areas, the United States Department of Agriculture has embarked on a program of buying cows, according to B. Beeson Snyder, supervisor of the Farm Security Administration in charge of purchases in Allegany and Garrett counties.

According to Snyder, Uncle Sam wants calves, heifers and cows which owners plan to sell for slaughter. Those purchased will be resold for cash or on a time payment basis to families who can care for them. If they cannot be resold here they will be sold in other markets.

Snyder has offices in the Garrett National Bank building in Oakland and at room 211, Cumberland Post Office.

Directors To Meet

Directors of the Cumberland Police Boys Club will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the Central Y. M. C. A.

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of machine necessary to knock down any attempt at aggression again. If need be, we must police the world."

Talking about the place of fraternal orders in the world, the good they do and the fellowship and god neighborliness they foster, Senator Davis reminded his audience that in Axis controlled countries, these are the first institutions destroyed.

During his address, the Senator referred to his friend the late Frederick N. Zihlman, congressman from this district anud a member of the Moose. He also referred to Representative J. Glenn Beall, now representing this district in Congress. Senator Davis said that Representative Beall is planning to have something done about flood control here and has talked briefly about the problem. Senator Davis said he has assured Beall of his help and support.

Judge Sloan Speaks

Another guest speaker at the dinner was Chief Judge D. Lindley Sloan. He talked briefly about the background of Senator Davis, and showed his audience that Senator Davis is an example of what America offers in the way of opportunity. He explained that Senator Davis was born as a poor boy with few opportunities, yet he worked and struggled his way through his ligetime, dealing fairly with others. He has distinguished himself in many ways, Judge Sloan stated and referred to the facts that the senator is the father of Moosedom, served as secretary of labor under three presidents and has three times, been elected to the United States Senate from Pennsylvania.

Touching on the war, Judge Sloan said, "there can be as much patriotism at home as there is at the battle front." He, too, decried the loss of time by labor and the working men and women, "when the country is engaged in the greatest struggle in all history." He urged patriotism, loyalty, selflessness, hard work, continued sacrifice and the will to win.

Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., local attorney and trial magistrate, was toastmaster. Other speakers presented included Frank Lee Carl, local newspaperman, who exhibited an autographed copy of a book which Senator Davis wrote in 1922. Carl, well known for many years as a book collector, explained that through his friend the late Representative "Nick" Zihlman, he learned to know Senator Davis, and the book he exhibited has been autographed for him by Senator Davis, April 29, 1927. The venerable editor and writer expressed his pleasure at seeing Senator Davis again, and said that through the years he has preserved many newspaper clippings about him in the autographed book.

Stresses Principles

Frank Schriver of Frostburg, deputy supreme governor, spoke briefly on the principles of the orper and commented on the war. He said "Our job today is to prepare and preserve a peace that will endure forever."

Mrs. Margaret Stitcher, mother of Carl Stitcher, was presented as the mother of the first Marylander to lose his life for his country in Africa. When Mrs. Stitcher arose to acknowledge the introduction, every guest present stood and applauded.

Others presented as guests included Frank J. Davis, governor of the lodge, Ernest B. Treat, treasurer, Mayor Thomas F. Conlon, Magistrate Frank A. Perdew and Edward Habeeb, chairman of arrangements.

The Rev. David Cartwright Clark, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal church, pronounced the invocation and benediction.

DICK TRACY—Snowbound

District No. 16, Of Mine Workers, Names Delegates

Floyd Winebrenner and John Cousins To Attend Washington Meeting

Floyd Winebrenner, of Klondyke, Md., and John Cousins, Thomas, W. Va., were named delegates to attend the United Mine Workers of America national policy and scale committee meeting this week in Washington, D. C. They were elected at a meeting of delegates of thirty local unions of District No. 16 yesterday afternoon in the Rubber Workers hall, South Mechanic street.

They will leave today for Washington where sessions, beginning Tuesday, will be held to discuss proposals for a new contract covering mines in the Appalachian area. John T. Jones, district president; David Watkins, John P. Dolphin, and William J. Morgan, district representatives, will also attend the Washington sessions.

5,000 Miners Affected

It was announced yesterday that more than 5,000 miners in the Cumberland area, covering five counties in Maryland and West Virginia are affected by an amended agreement signed Saturday afternoon by officials of the United Mine Workers of America and the George's Creek and Upper Potomac Coal Association, under which the six-day work week will be effective until March 31. Jones said the pact covers 95 per cent of the operators.

The amended pact, to be in effect immediately, will expire March 31, the date of the expiration of the basic agreement signed last year. In addition to Jones, signers for the UMWA were David Watkins, John P. Dolphin and William J. Morgan, district representatives; Arthur B. Stewart, president, and G. O. Tarleton, secretary of the operators' association. Stewart is vice president of the Davis Coal and Coke Company, and Tarleton is division manager of the Consolidation Coal Company, the largest operators in this section.

Agreement Modified

The complete text of the supplemental agreement:

"It is agreed that the current Joint Wage Agreement, known as the Appalachian Agreement, and District Agreements subsidiary thereto, between the United Mine Workers of America and the before-named coal companies is amended and modified as follows:

A. The basic work week of thirty-five hours per individual employed shall be agreed as beginning on Monday of each week.

B. The six day work week is authorized, provided that all individual mine workers working in excess of thirty-five hours in any one week, beginning on Monday of each week, shall be paid time and one-half or rate and one-half for such work as the case may be. This arrangement shall cover day and monthly men, tonnage, yardage and deadwork rates.

C. Holidays may be worked, provided the coal company, the District Organization and the membership of the Local Union agree upon such holiday work. Time and one-half and rate and one-half shall be paid for all holiday work.

Such payment for holiday

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GOOD HUNTING—Shown nailed against the side of a house to cure in the sun, are fifty raccoon skins and a number of other animal pelts taken this fall and winter by George Whitehead of Frostburg and Merwin R. Hast, Jr., of this city. The two young men, ardent sportsmen, are shown kneeling with their dogs and guns at the bottom of the picture. This bunch of pelts, all taken in Allegany county brought the two young hunters around a hundred dollars in a nearby fur market.

Police Arrest Twelve Men on Gambling Charges

Numerous Complaints Prompt Cleanup of So-Called Social Clubs

The cards were falling wrong for Cumberland's gambling fraternity early Saturday morning until shortly after midnight. Eight men were arrested by city police on warrants issued by State's Attorney Morgan C. Harris while four other men were arrested on warrants issued by Chief of Police Oscar A. Eyerman.

One place, operated by Richard Willison, 148 Bedford street, at 15 Baltimore street in a first floor storeroom, was raided within a few days after it opened for "business". Detective R. Emmett Flynn and Officer Stouffer and Powell arrested Willison at 12:55 a. m., Sunday. He posted $25 bond for a hearing today in police court.

The mass raids resulted from numerous complaints from persons who claimed to have been fleeced in the card and crap shooting games in the various "clubs". The eight men picked up on state warrants were released on $500 bond for hearings today before Magistrate Frank A. Perdew.

Booked by Police

Starting at 1 a. m., Saturday and continuing until 7:30 a. m., city police made the systematic round-up, and the men taken into custody were booked at headquarters as William "Fats" Martz, of Polk street; Charles D. Buzzard, North Mechanic street; Melvin "Hook" Treiber, of Maryland avenue; J. W. Myers, of Polk street; Estey Williams, of Laing avenue; Harry Molinari, of Massachusetts avenue; Robert Shrout, of Waverly Terrace, and Richard Wotring, of Market street.

Shrout surrendered at headquarters, after the others had been arrested by Officers P. C. Jenkins, F. P. Wilson, Edwin Lilya, J. F. Sherry, Charles Manges and Vincent Dela-Grange.

Seeks Speedy Trials

State's Attorney Harris indicated that he will ask a jury trial when the men were arraigned today and have them tried this week in circuit court, where members of the petit jury are still subject to call in the January term.

A side-light to the round-up was furnished when Eugene B. Stein,

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TO SPEAK HERE—Lieut. Col. George Henderson, of the Internal Security Division of the United States Army, has accepted an invitation to address observers of thirteen air warning posts of Allegany county, Paw Paw and Keyser, W. Va., at a rally marking "Maryland Week in the Air Warning Service" to be held Monday, February 8, at 8 p. m., in the American Legion home. Officers of the First Fighter Command, United States Air Corps, also will speak here and in Oakland on the following day. Howard P. Loughrie, director of the service in both counties, has charge of the program.

Mrs. Mary E. Rice Dies at Her Home

Lived in Irons Mountain Home for Fifty Years

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Rice, 79, died Sunday at her home on Irons mountain. She was a daughter of the late Campbell and Allie Dicken Miller, Hazen road. She lived in her late residence for the past fifty years and was well-known in that section. Her husband, Henry Rice, died in 1932.

She was a member of the Mt. Herman Methodist church. She is survived by a son, Clyde Rice, Ridgeley, W. Va.; a daughter Mrs. Martha Stafford, Iron mountain, a brother, Hanson Miller, Hazen road; nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. The body was taken to the Wolford funeral home.

Mrs. Lora E. Michael Dies

Mrs. Lora E. Michael, 52, wife of J. Elbert Michael, of Firm Rock, near Westernport, died suddenly Sunday afternoon. A native of New Germany, Md., she was a daughter of the late David and Elizabeth Broadwater. She was a member of Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, W. Va., and the Susanna Wesley Bible Class.

Besides her husband she is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Hayden Wilson and Mrs. Cleve Linkswiler, both of Westernport; and Miss Esther Michael, at home; three sisters, Mrs. Arch Michael, Westernport; Mrs. Virginia Broadwater, Barton; and Mrs. H. H. Fazenbaker, Lonaconing; four brothers, Wade H. Broadwater, and Alfred Broadwater, both of Grantsville; Lloyd Broadwater, Hagerstown; and Allen Broadwater, Akron, O.; and two grandchildren, Richard and David Wilson.

Charles L. Bird Dies

Charles L. Bird, 79, negro, died Saturday morning at the Allegany County Infirmary, Valley road, where he had been a resident since 1931. There are no known survivors. The body will remain at the Kight Funeral Home until burial Tuesday.

William Burgoyne Dies

William Burgoyne, 76, a former resident of Oldtown, died Sunday morning at Sylvan Retreat. There are no immediate survivors. The body will remain at the Kight funeral home.

James A. Klinger Dies

James A. Klinger, 64, a stonemason, of 106 West First street, who died Friday night at Memorial hospital, where he was a patient for over two weeks, is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jane Utz Klinger; a brother, Peter Klinger, Akron, Ohio; five sisters, Miss Alice Klinger and

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Local Payrolls Hit Record High During December

Close to Three Million Dollars Paid Workers by Seventeen Firms

Payrolls in the seventeen local industries which regularly make reports to the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce, continue to mount, according to figures compiled for December.

Without figures from the Allegany Ordnance plant, the December payroll here reached an all-time record for a single month of $2,882,208.96 and was $509,628.31 more than the same month in 1941. The previous record high month was October with a total payroll of $2,739,442.87.

Employment Mounts

During December a total of 17,409 persons were employed in these seventeen industries as compared to 16,454 in December 1941. The ordnance plant is not included in these figures.

At the United States Employment Service office, there were 1,466 registered on December 15, compared to 1,195 on January 15. Figures of placements show that jobs were found for 593 persons during the month ending December 15, and 304 were placed in employment in the month to January 15.

For the state, employment increased one percent from November to December and average weekly earnings in industry for December is reported as $43.39. The average hourly rate is 88.4 cents and the average work week is reported at 45.1 hours.

Food Costs Rise

Costs of food here are running about twenty-five percent ahead of January of last year, the report indicates. A basket of groceries which cost about $4 a year ago, costs $5 today, the report indicates.

Postal receipts for December totalled $38,441.04 compared to $16,919.01 in November. This increase of $21,522.03 is attributed principally to the heavy holiday mail.

Postal savings bonds sold in December amounted to $34,575 in December or a decrease of $11,160 under the November figure.

Defense Stamps Increase

Steady gains are indicated in the sale of war savings stamps. In November $54,578.20 was realized from the sale of stamps, while in December the figure jumped to $68,873.

Coal production, also reported in the monthly bulletin of the chamber of commerce, continues on the decline. In November, 131,000 tons were mined compared to 149,000 tons mined in October.

Civil Air Patrol Practices Use of Ski-Plane Here

Only Unit in Southern States Equipped for Winter Flying

To many people not familiar with Western Maryland's mountainous terrain, it is difficult to understand that there should be such things as winter sports below the Mason-Dixon line, especially that of skiing. And when local pilots talks about using skis on an airplane they probably put it down as one for Ripley.

Yesterday, however, several members of the local Civil Air Patrol Squadron No. 331, based at Mexico Farms airport equipped the plane of Lieut. L. G. Trimmier, executive officer, with skiis and took practice flights.

Pilots on the flights included Lieut. G. W. Brenaman, training operations officer, Lieut. G. B. Miltonberger, flight leader of flight A and Sgt. Robert Poling. Flights included patrol cruises over Lake Gorden and Lake Koon.

The local fliers, by making successful take-offs and landings here with the ski-plane, proved that heavy snows will not ground ships of the local patrol and flight missions can be carried on despite winter weather. The local squadron is the only one in Maryland, and so far as known is the only one below the Mason-Dixon line that has skiis for their planes. They were resurrected from the storage area of one of the hangers where they had been placed several years ago. Other patrols in the stage, except Hagerstown, where there are paved runways, were unable to operate yesterday and all planes were grounded with training flights and missions postponed.

War Department Seeks Shotguns

Authorized To Purchase 12 Gauge Guns from Individuals and Dealers

The War department has urgent need for servicable used twelve gauge shotguns, including pumps, automatics or double barrel and the Pittsburgh Ordnance District of the United States War Department, 1202 Chamber of Commerce building, Pittsburgh, is authorized to purchase them from individuals or gun dealers.

E. Lee LeCompte, Maryland state game warden, in a bulletin issued yesterday says that the co-operation of the public of Maryland with our government will be appreciated in this matter.

If you have a pump, automatic or a double barrel twelve gauge shotgun that you can spare or desire to dispose of, drop a postcard to the Small Arms Branch, Pittsburg Ordnance District War Department.

Write your name and address plainly, the kind of gun and where it can be found. The War department will contact you by mail at once and they will probably have someone call on you to make arrangements to purchase the gun.

LeCompte advises persons not to send any guns until they have first contacted the Pittsburgh office by mail or in person to get the information where the guns are to be sent.

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JOHN J. OURS, LA VALE MAN, IS COMMENDED BY THE U. S. NAVY

John Jacob Ours, 25, of LaVale, coxswain, a member of an armed guard crew aboard a merchant vessel, is one of thirty-one men commended by the United-States Navy for outstanding service. Ours spent seventy-two hours in a lifeboat after his ship was sunk. He finally landed in Russia. Coxswain Thomas Nightingale, Berlin, Pa., was cited in the same group.

Ours, a son of Marcellus Columbus Ours, is a former employe of the Celanese Corporation of America and has been in the Navy about a year. He was home on furlough less than two weeks ago.

The citation received by Ours reads as follows:

"The Secretary of the Navy takes pleasure in commending you for your courageous conduct as a member of the armed guard crew of a U. S. merchant vessel. A report of the occasion indicates that aircraft from a flight of seven enemy German planes were disrupted and forced to veer out of range as a result of the timely and accurate fire of your armed guard crew. Again when fourteen low-flying Heinkel Torpedo bomber 177's attacked your ship, they met a hail of withering fire from the armed guard crew. Both the flight-leader and another plane burst into flames and crashed into the sea. Two days later, your ship was struck by two torpedoes. The armed guard crew was rescued from their lifeboats. Your conduc during these actions was in keeping with the best traditions of the naval service."

Letter League Sends Sixth News Bulletin to 400

Local Happenings for Month Mailed to Servicemen Outside Country

With over 400 names on their mailing list, members of the Allegany County Letter League have prepared for mailing today, the sixth local monthly news letter for servicemen and women outside the United States.

According to William A. Gunter, president of the league, more names are added to the mailing list each month as more men from this county are assigned to posts overseas. Persons who know of men whose names have not been forwarded to the league should contact Gunter at his office, 7 Washington street, or mail the name, home address, present address and serial number, together with names of parents or nearest relatives, and have the serviceman get a copy of the letter each month.

The league is a voluntary organization made up of several local people who write the letters, pay the postage and make no charge whatever for the service.

Members of the league desire to send the letter to every person serving the country on foreign soil, but are dependent entirely upon the co-operation of local people to furnish names and addresses. The league has received several requests from the men themselves whose families have neglected to submit their names to the league.

The letters each month contain all the important happenings of local interest during the month, and help keep these men in far distant places, informed on affairs back home.

Girl Swallows Household Ammonia

City police took a young girl to Allegany hospital yesterday after she had swallowed some household ammonia by mistake. Frances Iser, 14, of 12 Front street, told police she thought the ammonia was spirits of ammonia. Her condition was reported as "good".

War Ration Books Of Men in Service Must Be Returned

OPA Ruling Includes Persons Who Have Died; Gas Books Unaffected

Ration books of persons inducted into the armed forces, and of persons who have died, must be returned to the Cumberland War Price and Rationing Board, Matthew M. Mullaney, attorney for the local field office of the OPA, announces.

It is very important that all books held by such persons be returned because if 10,000,000 persons entered the armed forces and do not surrender War Ration Book No. 1, these books might be used to obtain illegally approximately 20,000,000 pounds of sugar and 8,000,000 pounds of coffee each month. If some persons obtain rationed commodities illegally, the allowable rations for other persons will be less, Mullaney declared.

Exceptions Are Listed

All ration books of dead persons and those in the army must be returned except:

1. The basic "A" gasoline ration book of an inductee may be retained by the inductee if he still owns his automobile and it is being used by someone entitled to use it.
2. The basic "A" gasoline ration book of a deceased person may be retained by any person entitled to use the automobile for which the ration book was issued.

In co-operation with the army, the following procedure for returning books of inductees has been worked out:

At the time of induction preceding the usual furlough, the inductee will receive an envelope. Instructions on the envelope will explain its use and will require the inductee to do one of the following:

Enclose his ration book. State that the books have been returned to a certain War Price and Rationing Board. State the name and address of the person with whom the books were left, or give another reason for not returning them.

Instructions Given

The inductee shall address the envelope to his local War Price and Rationing Board.

Upon receipt of the envelope shall do one of three things;

1. File the return books in the inductee's file, except returned gasoline books which are to be destroyed.
2. If the books are not enclosed, check to see if they had been previously returned as stated on the envelope.
3. Take the necessary steps to obtain the books from the person with whom they were left.

The boards are requested to check local Selective Service boards to obtain a list of those inducted and check the health department for information on deaths.

AMERICA IS PROVING ITSELF ARSENAL AND BREAD BASKET, SENATOR JAMES J. DAVIS SAYS

600 Attend Moose Dinner; Frank J. Davis Given 25-Club Button

Contrary to the popular propaganda that was spread about the country a few years ago, "Americans on every battle front are proving that they can fight and Americans on the home front, who supply the men in war zones are also showing they are not soft", Senator James J. Davis of Pennsylvania told an audience of over 600 at the Moose home here last night.

Speaking on the occasion of the initiation of one of the largest classes in the history of Cumberland Lodge No. 271, Loyal Order of Moose, Senator Davis presented Frank J. Davis, governor of the local lodge with a certificate of service and a Twenty-Five Club lapel button, for obtaining twenty-five new members.

Talking about the ideals and ambitions inherent in Americans and of the opportunities offered to every individual in America, Senator Davis said "America is proving itself the arsenal of this global war and the bread-basket of the world." Here at home most of us are proving our ability to sacrifice, to produce and to co-operate in every way possible in our united efforts to gain a victory. On the battle fronts our sons and brothers are proving they are not 'softies', but can take it and better still can dish it out".

Denounces Absenteeism

Citing the importance of manpower, production, sacrifice and hard work as the most important goals before the country today, the Senator denounced those who lose time at their jobs, whether it be for a minute, an hour, a day or a week. He decried the "very idea of stopping work to settle grievances", when man-hours lost might cost the lives of men on the battle fronts.

"While we are about the task of winning the war and assuring unconditional surrender and complete defeat of Hitler, Mussolini and Tojo, we must also plan for the future. This wholesale destruction of life and property and happiness must never happen again," he said. "We must prepare to build the kind

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Social Security Aired by Lawyers In Town Meeting

Club of Human Relations Speakers Cite Need for Expansion

The legal and humane elements of the Social Security System were outlined in detail yesterday afternoon by three local attorneys, in the weekly Town Meeting of the Air broadcast sponsored by the Club of Human Relations.

Speakers on the program were Harold E. Naughton, Thomas Lohr Richards and Julius E. Schindler. Harold R. Fletcher, bank cashier, was moderator.

Favors Broadening Coverage

Explaining the operation and function of the Social Security, Schindler expressed the opinion that the act should be amended to broaden its coverage. Under proposals he made, 25,000,000 more people could be brought under the benefits of the system. These would include agriculture workers, domestic workers, public employes, self employed persons and employes of religious, charitable and educational institutions.

"At a time when we are engaged in a great global war to preserve liberty, and justice in the world," Schindler said, "it would be highly appropriate to help establish a basis for our post-war economic welfare. And this is exactly what a strengthened Social Security Act will do. When the men return from the fighting fronts after the war, we should have a Social Security Act in operaion which will give protection to every person and thus give all freedom from want and freedom from fear."

Naughton expressed the view, "that in our Social Security program, we have the basis for a far-flung insurance system which will protect the wage earner against all the principal hazards of his working life, and at the same time stabilize national economy by sustaining, in great degree, the purchasing power of more than half the population."

Speaking of the tremendous cost of war, Richards said, "If our domestic economy can afford to spend two or three billion dollars to wage a war, it should be able to spend a very insignificant sum, in comparison, to banish poverty and the fear of economic security forever. But this can be done only by the full employment of all our people."

Urges Works Program

Richards cited the many possibilities of development and advancement in industry and business which must come after the war. He urged a wide spread public works program and expressed the view that there has been too much unemployment in this country. His entire talk was based on the importance of keeping people gainfully employed and to give Americans an opportunity to enjoy economic security as well as personal liberty.

RETIRES — David J. Lewis, of Cumberland, chairman of the National Mediation Board, announced yesterday that he will retire to private life today at the expiration of his term. He has notified President Roosevelt that he will not seek re-appointment to the board. Lewis, who served six terms in the House of Representatives for the Sixth Maryland district, has held public office, either elective or appointive, for forty-one years.

85 Candidates Inducted Into Order of Moose

Servicemen's Class One of Largest Admitted to Local Lodge

In one of the largest classes in the organization's history, eighty-five men were included in a group of candidates yesterday at a special initiation ceremony held by Cumberland Lodge No. 271, Loyal Order of Moose.

Senator James J. Davis, who helped found the fraternal organization, explained its operation, purpose and background to the candidates. He talked about Mooseheart, the lodge's home for orphans and widows of Moose, where youngsters are cared for, educated and trained in skilled trades and for professions. He said the community covers over 1,200 acres and represents an investment of more than $30,000,000. He reminded the new members to that wherever the sun rises and sets there can be found a member of the fraternity.

The class of candidates, numbering eighty-five, was designated as the Servicemen's Class, in honor of members of the country's fighting forces. It was led by Mayor Thomas F. Conlon.

Members of the class included:

Frank Cobeil, Millard I. Emerick, Joseph O. Winterberg, Paul T. Beckwith, W. D. Ambrose, James P. Keller, Harold R. Smith, Herbert G. Lewis, Leo S. Rowan, Jr., Wallace R. Cunningham, Benjamin F. Brown, Leo M. Stubblefield, Elmer W. Ryan, Virgil Guy O'Neal, Aubros W. Beeghly, Carl B. Day, John H. Hafer, Walter Swartzwelder, John Odonnell, Robert M. Lannon, William L. Lindmer, Estel P. Miller, William G. Arnold, Robert W. Kenney, George A. Beal, Thomas A. Mont.

Stephen L. Brown, Paul E. Lehmary, Tronerse F. Schmidt, Elwood Lewis Collins, R. L. Brown, D. E. Meyers, Ernest Wartzarls, Ernest R. Eversale, Carl M. Sisk, William R. Long, Howard L. Kirtley, Jarlynn Miller, Ray William Baird, Harold B. Miller, Miller R. Grim, James D. Clayton, John J. McMillen, Cletus E. Price, John C. Deetz, Howard O. Dorsey, Charles O. Ruckman, David Lander, Jr.

John H. Armentrout, George W. Banzhof, Harry A. Mullenax, William F. Malone, Wade Arnold, Emil H. Bell, Claude W. Conner, Harry B. Lannon, William J. Hefner, William W. Often, Earl Vernall, Louis William Taylor, Harry F. Hess, Pascal Thompson, Thomas E. Conn, Harry T. Nines.

Colton H. Martz, Frank B. Hymes, Earl L. Powell, Melvin W. Dean, D. H. Dreyer, George E. Brown, G. L. Minnicks, Philip L. Often, Walter C. Kifer, Casper Thomas, Russell C. Riggs, Frank Lee Hausman, Duncan L. Metzger, Howard A. Windelnecht, Guy H. Combs, J. F. Mertens, George C. Jones, George Francis Meintel, William F. Smouse, James Brode and Joseph MacFarland.

Men between 18 and 45 Now Must Carry Draft Classification Cards

Every man between the ages of eighteen and forty-five must carry his draft classification card with him at all times after today, Col. Henry C. Stanwood, reminded the public yesterday.

Col. Stanwood warned that all men of those ages should have their classification by now and if they haven't it is up to them to do something about it immediately.

The individual, not Selective Service, is held under the law responsible for the failure of anyone to have his draft rating card.

And the deadline is today.

David J. Lewis Resigns As Head Of Federal Unit

Quits National Mediation Board after 41 Years in Public Office

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (AP) — David J. Lewis, chairman of the National Mediation Board, announced today he planned to retire to private life tomorrow at the expiration of his term.

Lewis, former Maryland congressman and center of one of the state's bitterest political campaigns, wrote President Roosevelt that he would not seek reappointment to the board.

The son of a Pennsylvania coal miner and a miner himself at the age of nine, Lewis has held public office, either elective or appointive, for forty-one years.

Former Congressman

The veteran legislator, whose home is in Cumberland, Md., served several terms in the Maryland State Senate to which he was first elected in 1901. He was elected to the United States House of Representatives in 1910 from the Sixth Maryland district and served six terms in the House in all.

He was appointed by President Wilson to the United States Tariff Commission in 1917 and served to 1925. He declined reappointment from President Coolidge and was re-elected to the House of Representatives in 1930.

Defeated by Tydings

A New Deal Democrat, Lewis opposed Senator Millard E. Tydings in 1938 in a bitterly fought but unsuccessful campaign for the latter's seat in the United States Senate. Lewis was backed by President Roosevelt, who came into the state to make several speeches in his behalf.

Mr. Roosevelt appointed Lewis one of the three members of the National Mediation Board in 1939. In announcing his decision to retire to private life, Lewis made public a letter to the president which said in part:

Gives Two Reasons

"I have two reasons which impel me to retire. The first is that I am nearing my seventy-fourth birthday, and the second reason is that I wish to be free like Senator Norris to aid in seeing the 'just, permanent peace which ought to come out of this war.'

"Allow me to add that in serving with you, though in a humble capacity, through what should prove the most epochal chapter in the history of the world, I have found the very highest satisfaction of my life. May God bless your future efforts in the service of the human family."

Lewis warned that peace plans would be subject "to the whims and prejudices of Washington cliques — the same vendetta which was so active in killing President Wilson after World War 1."

He said he hoped "to educate the public to the fact that anything which can be done through diplomacy and the establishment of treaties with other countries can be done by a joint resolution of Congress and the co-operation of the president."

Edward Himmler Wins High Honor At Westinghouse

Cumberland Native Presented with Order of Merit for His Work

Edward C. Himmler, native of Cumberland, is one of two veteran employes of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co., Pittsburgh, who have been awarded the Westinghouse Order of Merit in addition to citations listing their achievements and bronze medals bearing a silver "W" with the inscription "Whom his fellow men delight to honor." The medals were designed by the noted sculptor Rene Chambellau when Westinghouse established the Order of Merit in 1935 as a means of recognizing employes who make outstanding contributions to the electrical industry. Recipients are selected by the Westinghouse board of directors.

Himmler, whose wife, the former Mary Broderick, is also a native of Cumberland, has been a Westinghouse employe 39 years. He makes and sets molds for large castings at the company's Trafford, Pa., foundry.

Himmler became a molder's apprentice here at the age of 16, later worked in a Waynesboro, Pa., foundry, and joined Westinghouse in 1903 at East Pittsburgh. He made molds for the original foundry equipment at Trafford, some of which is still in use at the plant. Three years later he was made foreman, then became general foreman and for a time served as foundry superintendent.

He lives at 503 Gilmore avenue, Trafford. He has three sons, Francis, former Westinghouse employe now in the Army Medical Corps; Charles, a student at Carnegie Tech, and Edward, an employe of the Army Ordnance Department in Pittsburgh.